THE WEATHER TODAY
Partly cloudy Saturday, probably preceded by showers in extreme south portion Saturday morning; Sunday increasing cloudiness, unsettled.

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BANDIT SEARCH EXTENDED OVER ENTIRE NATION

Many Suspects Taken Following Raid of Restaurant Later Released—Exact Amount Robbers Obtained Not Known

SEEK AIRPLANE

Machine Seen to Land Near Scene of Holdup and, After Brief Search, Fly Away Toward Chicago

Chicago, June 13. — Search for four automobile loads of bandits who last night held up a crack mail train of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad a few miles out of Chicago, [illegible] mail clerks from their cars with gas bombs and escaped with more than 40 pouches of registered mail, tonight was extended throughout the country.

The value of the loot obtained still was undertermined tonight, estimates ranging all the way from $100,000 to more than $2,000,000. A. E. Germer, chief postal inspector, said he did not believe the bandits secured more than $100,000 but an official of the Federal Reserve bank at Minneapolis declared Liberty bonds valued at $150,000 consigned to that institution were missing and federal bank officials here said that the loot included about $73,000 consigned by the Chicago banks to national banks in the northwest. Some investigators said they believed the robbers obtained cash and bonds valued at more than $2,000,000, basing their opinion on the fact that much eastern mail is usually on the train.

Airplane May be Involved.

Acting on a tip that the robbers would be found in a certain restaurant, detectives late today raided the place and arrested a dozen men.

In addition to the dozen seized in the raid, four other suspects were under arrest here, and one man was being held at Waukegan.

Confident that the holdup was the result of inside information obtained by some one connected with post office or federal reserve bank, government agents tonight were conducting a searching investigation of this angle. [illegible] have planned the robbery so carefully unless they had reliable information as to what was in the cars.

Theory that the loot may have been cached by the bandits and then carried away in an airplane was held by some officials today after an airplane was seen to land about two miles from Roundout, Ill., the scene of the robbery, and later after a hurried inspection to hop off and head for Chicago. A check of local hangars revealed that no local planes were in the air today, postal inspectors said.

The suspects arrested in the raid were released tonight after being questioned and after a trainman and conductor of the mail train had failed to identify any of them as the bandits.

Postal inspectors tonight started to investigate a theory that members of the band headed by "Big Tim" Murphy, which was responsible for the $300,000 Dearborn street station mail robbery three years ago, may have been implicated in the holdup. Murphy is serving a sentence in federal prison in connection with the Dearborn station robbery.

TWO MEN KILLED IN NEW HAVEN WRECK

Several Others Scalded and Injured as Locomotive Goes Down Embankment

Cornwall Bridge, Conn., June 13.—Two members of a train crew were killed and several others hurt in the wreck of a mixed train on the Danbury Pittsfield division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad here today.

The men killed were Paul Macdonald, fireman, of Danbury, Conn., and Charles Straub, trainman, of New Milford, Conn.

Engineer James Bennett of Danbury was seriously scalded when the boiler of the drawing the train overturned.

H. C. Johnson of Danbury was badly hurt, and a woman passenger in a coach on the train was slightly injured. The accident occurred at Smith's crossing.

Straub and Johnson, the latter a trainman, were riding in the engine, expecting to throw a switch ahead. Straub with Fireman MacDonald, was caught beneath the engine boiler and scalded to death. Engineer Bennett and Johnson were scalded. Both were removed to the Danbury hospital.

The train today was made up of 12 cars. The locomotive went down a 12 foot bank.

CONDITION STILL GRAVE

Rochester, June 13. — The condition of Bishop Charles Fiske of the central New York Episcopal diocese, was declared to be virtually unchanged this morning. He had a fair night, the superintendent of the hospital said, and was holding his own. "Which means a good deal," the superintendent added. His temperature at 9 a. m. was 102, pulse 106, respiration 30.

NOTED ALIENISTS EXAMINE SLAYERS

State Prepares to Combat Insanity Defense of Leopold and Loeb

Chicago, June 13. — The first definite step by defense attorneys to prove Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, millionaires' sons and confessed slayers of 13-year-old Robert Franks, were insane was taken today when the lawyers took two physicians to the county jail to make an examination of the youths. One of the doctors was Dr. Karl M. Bowman of Boston.

Loeb was the first examined and the doctors spent more than two hours with him. They then left the jail, refusing to comment on information they had obtained. Clarence Darrow, defense attorney, said that other eminent alienists also will make an examination.

Today was visitors' day at the jail and several relatives and friends of the youths called to see them.

The state has already taken steps to combat any form of insanity defense that may be advanced, scores of witnesses having been questioned in an effort to show the boys have always been normal.

Grisly messages continue to pour in to the boys but few reach them in the jail. One was received today from one who signed himself Malcolm McNeil of New York, stating that he and 6,000 other eastern college students plan to come to Chicago and hang the defense attorneys unless they give up representing the youths who say they kidnapped and killed for excitement.

13 LILLY RIOT SUSPECTS FREED

Held in County Jail for 10 Weeks Under Murder and Manslaughter Indictments

Ebensburg, Pa., June 13.—Eleven alleged members of the Ku Klux Klan and two residents of Lilly who have been held in the county jail here 10 weeks under indictments of murder and manslaughter in connection with the affray at Lilly on April 5, which resulted in the death of three persons and the injury of others, were freed tonight.

They were given their liberty after Judge Thomas P. Finletter granted a motion of District Attorney D. P. Weimer to nol prosse the charges against them. Eighteen other alleged klansmen and 13 residents of Lilly will stand trial on murder and manslaughter indictments.

The 13 men who were released tonight were the same men who yesterday on instructions of the court were acquitted of riot and of affray and unlawful assembly. Against the 11 alleged klansmen who left the jail tonight an indictment of carrying concealed weapons still pends and each posted a bond of $500 for appearance to answer the charge.

TROOPERS GUARD BRIDGE WHEN IRONWORKERS STRIKE

New York, June 13. — Six state troopers were sent to Peekskill today to guard the new Peekskill - Bear Mountain suspension bridge over the Hudson river against violence, which, it was feared, might result from a strike of ironworkers.

According to information reaching the police, about 150 union men quit work on the new structure because they insisted the task of drawing the two massive 18-inch cables, from which the floor of the big bridge is to be suspended, should be performed by ironworkers. The contractors claim the right to employ ordinary laborers and offered to pay the same wages ironworkers would receive.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLS SELF

San Diego, Cal., June 13. — While demonstrating how a revolver could have been used by the defendant on trial in a shooting case, Judge D. F. Sotomayor of the Tiajuana, Lower California court, yesterday shot himself behind the left ear and died in an hour. Under the impression that [illegible] had removed the cartridges from the revolver, Judge Sotomayor is said to have placed the muzzle of the revolver under the left ear and pulled the trigger.

RUM RUNNING SHIPS CAUGHT.

New York, June 13. — The capture today of two rum runners, with liquors said to be worth $170,000 aboard, after an exciting chase off Sag Harbor, during which shots were fired by the pursuing government boat, was announced at the headquarters of the customs marine patrol. The captured vessels which were taken into Sag Harbor are the Rosaland and the Victor II. Their crews are held as prisoners.

ARMY BARRACKS BURNED.

Carlisle, Pa., June 13. — The main barracks of the United States army medical field service school was destroyed tonight by fire.

Five hundred students in the summer training in the medical office reserve corps left a dance at the post and in dress uniform rushed out to fight the flames.

The barracks had been the main dormitory of the old Carlisle Indian school.

BANDITS ROB BANK.

Detroit, June 13. — Armed bandits held up a branch of the Peninsula state bank here late this afternoon and after forcing the bank employes and several customers to turn their faces to the wall scooped up approximately $7,000 and escaped in an automobile.

New President

Gaston Doumergue, president of the senate, was yesterday elected president of France by the national assembly at Versailles, he receiving 515 votes against 309 for Paul Painleve, president of the chamber of deputies.

GASTON DOUMERGUE CHOSEN PRESIDENT

National Assembly Elects Him to Succeed M. Millerand as Republic's Head

(By the Associated Press)

Versailles, France, June 13.—Gaston Doumergue, president of the senate, today was elected president of the republic of France in succession to Alexandre Millerand, who resigned on Wednesday because of the opposition to him in parliament.

The booming of a cannon at half past four this afternoon announced the solution by the senate and chamber of deputies, gathered together in national assembly in the Versailles palace, of one of the grave political crises arising from the May elections. The choosing of M. Doumergue as chief executive occurred in the presence of the usual crush of notables invited to witness the historic scene, and a score of uninvited persons, who, as usual, had been admitted to the chamber without form in order to prove that the ceremony of electing a chief executive was really a public function.

Long Public Career.

M. Doumergue, senator from the Gard department and head of the senate, who was elected today to be the 13th president of France, to succeed Alexander Millerand, has had a long career in public life during which he has been premier and has held a number of portfolios in various ministries.

Immediately after the election the new president of the republic asked Edouard Herrot, leader of the radical party, to confer with him as soon as the assembly adjourned.

Eight hundred and sixty-one senators and deputies voted. The majority to elect was 431. The voting took place amid greater excitement than generally characterizes the calm, decorous national assembly. Each senator and deputy was greeted with cheers from his supporters and hoots from his opposers as he deposited his ballot. Premier Francois-Marshal received the greatest ovation of all.

CUBAN STRIKES HAVE TIED UP NEARLY ALL BUSINESS

Havana, June 13. — Business throughout Cuba has become almost stagnant in the railroad strike which has been in progress for more than two weeks, but government officials were hopeful today that the movement might gradually be broken, and they were continuing their efforts to arrange some sort of an agreement.

Some unions have voted large sums [illegible] striking railroad men and there has been talk of a general strike here, but government officials are optimistic that no such strike will be called.

Several passenger trains were put into operation today under military protection.

DAWES LEAVES HOMESTEAD GRATEFUL FOR NOMINATION

(By the Associated Press.)

Marietta, O., June 13.—With the cheers of 2,500 friends ringing in his ears, Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential nominee, left here this afternoon aboard his special car for his home in Chicago. He was accompanied by his wife.

A few hours before, from the porch of the old Dawes homestead where he was born, he told a gathering of 5,000 citizens that "I have gratefully accepted this nomination, resolved that whatever it entails, I will do my best."

Further than this, he refused to comment on matters political.

SHOPS HAVE FIVE-DAY WEEK.

Scranton, Pa., June 13. — Locomotive shops of the Lackawanna railroad in this city, Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingsland, N. J., have been started on a five-day week working schedule, it was officially announced here today by President W. H. Truesdale. The reduction in working time becomes effective immediately. About 2,500 employes are involved.

ESCAPE INJURY AS TROLLEY RUNS WILD

Score of Persons, Mostly Girls, Huddle in Rear of Schenectady Car

Schenectady, June 13. — Huddled in the rear vestibule, a score of passengers, mostly girls, escaped injury here tonight when a one-man trolley car caught fire from the controller box, coasted eight blocks down hill, rounded several corners, and finally was brought to a stop when passers-by pulled the trolley pole from the wire. Four passengers received minor injuries when they jumped from windows and a girl sustained injuries believed to be serious when she emulated their example. The other passengers were released from the burning car when people in the street kicked in a rear door.

Seeks to Prevent Collision.

According to railway company officials the car caught fire when a flash shot from the controller box as the lone operator threw his lever into reverse to prevent the car from striking an automobile. The passengers, seeing the flames, rushed to the rear vestibule, expecting to make an exit there, but were forced to remain aboard when they found the doors locked.

The motorman was unable to check the car because of the flames and it continued on its way. Reaching the bottom of the decline, it lost speed, and people in the street pulled the pole from the wire and kicked in the doors. The fire department arrived soon after to put out the blaze.

The passengers chiefly were members of the Salvation Army girls bands.

ONE COP SENTENCED ANOTHER WOUNDED

"Benefit" for Widow of Victim of Former Policeman Ends in Brawl

New York, June 13. — While Daniel V. Bruns, former Brooklyn policeman, was being sentenced to from nine to 20 years in Sing Sing for the slaying of Michael J. Trolan, cafe proprietor, police learned today that another policeman was shot and dangerously wounded and the girl cabaret entertainer severely beaten after an all-night "benefit" for Trolan's widow in the cafe, now managed by Thomas O'Brien.

The wounded policeman, Francis C. Higgins of Brooklyn, was found this morning with bullet wounds in his arm and abdomen. Soon after Miss Bertha White, bruised and bleeding, swore out a complaint against O'Brien. It was then that police learned of the brawl.

O'Brien was shot and wounded by Bruns when Trolen was killed, March 15. Bruns pleaded guilty to a charge of first degree manslaughter.

O'Brien was held in $500 bail on an assault charge, Miss White alleging that he beat her when she refused to sing.

EQUALITY GRANTED WOMEN BY G. O. P.

For First Time in History, Women Have Same Power as Men on Party Committee

Cleveland, June 13.—For the first time in Republican party history, women sat in equality with men on the new national committee which met here today and unanimously elected William M. Butler, national committee member from Massachusetts and pre-convention manager for President Coolidge, chairman. The program for electing the ticket nominated by the convention which closed yesterday was inaugurated.

Campaign headquarters will be opened immediately at Chicago with headquarters at Washington and New York.

President Coolidge will be notified of his nomination some time next month. Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential nominee, probably will be notified at his home in Chicago.

Mr. Butler indicated that he intends to assume full control and his program was initiated immediately. After he had been chosen chairman, the committee elected the other officers on the Butler slate. They are Charles D. Hilles, New York; Mrs. Alvin T. Hert, Louisville; and E. Williams, Oregon, vice chairman; Roy O. West, Chicago, secretary; and William V. Hodges, Denver, treasurer. An assistant secretary to be chosen will be a woman designated by a sub-committee consisting of Mr. Butler, Mr. West and Mrs. Hert.

TAXIS MUST BE BONDED

Albany, June 13. — The state tax commission today directed the attention of 20,000 upstate owners of taxicabs and automobiles for hire to the provisions of the Joiner bill, passed by the last legislature, which becomes effective July 1. The law requires that every motorcar operated for hire on the highways or streets of New York state be covered by bond or insurance policy against injury and property damage in an amount not less than $2,500. Such policies or bonds, the commission added, must be filed with the motor vehicle commissioner on or before July 1, failure to comply nothing registration plates subject to revocation.

PRECEDENT NOT SET BY ACTION OF F. O. LOWDEN

Senator Silas Wright of New York Also Refused Vice Presidential Nomination by 1844 Convention

TELEGRAM DOUBTED

Assemblage Sent Committee to Personally Get Confirmation of One of First Messages Sent by Wire

Cleveland, June 13.—The declination by ex-Governor Lowden for the nomination for vice president did not set a precedent, as many believed, Victor Rosewater of Omaha, who as chairman of the Republican national committee in 1916 made a special study of convention history, announced here today.

The first incident of its kind was in 1844 when United States Senator Silas Wright of New York was nominated by the Baltimore convention as a running mate for James K. Polk, Mr. Rosewater said, pointing out an interesting sidelight.

At that time Prof. S. F. B. Morse had just succeeded in getting into working order the first telegraph wire strung between Washington and Baltimore and kept in touch with the proceedings, he being in Washington and his associate, Mr. Vail, in Baltimore, Mr. Rosewater stated.

"When Senator Wright was nominated, Mr. Vail told Mr. Morse, who informed Senator Wright and within a few minutes a telegram was read to the convention from Mr. Wright, respectfully declining the nomination.

"The convention in its amazement, would not believe its authenticity being doubtful of the efficacy of the wire. It immediately appointed a committee to go to Washington and to wait upon Senator Wright to verify the message.

"The committee on return confirmed the telegram. This fact did more than anything else to establish the practicability of the new telegram invention.

"It is interesting to note, also, according to the records, that Senator Wright had written a letter previous to the convention stating his unalterable decision not to accept such a nomination if offered."

The convention, upon balloting again, chose George Dallas.

PERJURY ON INCOME TAXES SUBJECT TO LIMITATIONS

New York, June 13. — Perjury when committed in connection with income tax returns is perjury only and is subject to the general statute of limitation which bars prosecution after three years, Federal Judge English held today.

Perjury, the opinion says in effect, is not an offense to defraud the government of the same character which resulted in the act of November 17, 1921, under which prosecutions may be instituted after a period of six years. If Judge English's opinion is affirmed by the supreme court, Assistant United States District Attorney Dubois J. Gillette said, it would practically bar all prosecutions against corporations charged with swearing falsely in income tax returns.

CHURCH TO DISCONTINUE ITS SYMBOLIC RITUAL

New York, June 13. — The dance services and symbolic ritual having their origin in pagan sources, which some time ago caused Bishop Manning to cut off the Church of St. Mary in the Bouwerie from Episcopal ministrations, will be discontinued, the New York World will say tomorrow.

This change in church policy, the newspaper will say, it was informed, is due to a falling off in financial support, and a large defection of parishioners from the congregation. The vestry is expected to meet next Monday, and at that time it is thought, will approve of the elimination of the criticized ceremonies.

ASCHER JURY DISAGREES.

Rochester, June 12.—After 10 and a half hours deliberation a jury in United States district court at 10:45 o'clock tonight reported disagreement in the case of John J. Ascher, head of the Ascher Detective agency of New York, and Edward J. Miles, W. C. Gennerich, Chauncey B. Moorehead, and Robert E. White. They were tried on a charge of having defrauded the government by padding payrolls and expense accounts during the railroad strikes at Buffalo in 1920.

MEANS LOSES REQUEST

Washington, June 13. — Attorney General Stone today instructed Hiram C. Todd, special assistant to the attorney general, to proceed with the prohibition cases against Gaston B. Means "without unnecessary delay."

Means, in a letter to the department of justice, had asked the removal of Todd as prosecutor in the cases, charging that the latter was prejudiced against him.

DAMAGING STORM IN IOWA.

Davenport, Ia., June 13. — A violent wind storm struck Davenport tonight and did considerable property damage in this section, although no one was reported injured or killed. Trees were uprooted, telephone poles were blown over, and houses and buildings were uprooted by the force of the gale which died down late tonight.

Investigation Fails to Reveal Cause of Blast on Battleship

"Just a Puff, Then Little Flame, Then Bigger One, Like Continuous Streak of Lightning With Hot Suffocating Smoke," Says Survivor in Describing What Happened in Turret No. 2

Craft Isolated From Companions

Like Quarantine Ship, No One Not on Official Business Allowed on Board—Last Charge That Endangered Lives of Others Removed From Rifle—Heroism of Men Praised by Captain

(By the Associated Press)

San Pedro, Cal., June 13. — Cold, scientific investigation in the quiet of the ward room of the U. S. Mississippi today replaced the tumult of death that yesterday cut down three officers and 45 men of the United States navy in gun turret No 2 of the battleship, seriously injured five men and less dangerously hurt seven others.

Grouped about the green-topped table, an admiral, two captains, and two gunnery experts sought the cause of the tragedy, but tonight no conclusion had been reached. The facts remained as they were yesterday when the Mississippi headed at full speed for port with her dead and injured.

The Mississippi herself tonight was like a quarantined ship, isolated from her sisters in battleship row, approachable to none but those with official business, and holding all her own company from contact with shore or other craft. The great, gray giant of battle, built to deal death to the enemy, but which had turned on herself, was a thing of mystery, almost of suspicion. Her fatal turret today was jammed tight by the heat that accompanied the explosion and all day her mechanics worked over the spot where their mates yesterday were swept to death by the blast of T. N. T.

Puff, Flame, Then Lightning.

And it was a slight blast compared to the loss of life and injury it caused, according to at least one man who was there in the turret and who lived to speak of it, Boatswain's Mate R. J. Macavin of San Francisco.

"Just a small explosion like a match being touched to a pile of celluloid," he said. "Just a puff, then a little flame, then a bigger one like a continuous streak of lightning with hot, suffocating smoke."

Those two score words were the story of the passing of more than two score of men.

All throught the night the menace of another coupe of death hung over the Mississippi. Today it was removed when her crew was able to pull the last gun charge from the big 14-inch rifle that can blow an ordinary vessel out of the water at 10 miles. Last night this charge still lay in the gun, locked alone in the turret, and the ship went to anchor outside the breakwater lest a fatal chance might touch it off to wreck the crowded shoreline or other craft in port.

The Mississippi always has borne the name of a "happy ship," ashore and afloat members of her crew have told themselves and the world at large in rollicking notes to "cheer, cheer, the gang's all here."

Tonight more than 40 of the "gang" have been mustered out forever, and their mess numbers are blank.

Important Witness May Die.

That F. S. Rynes, chief turret captain, seriously injured in the blast, may prove the most important witness to be called before the board of inquiry was indicated at today's session when Lieutenant F. G. Reinicke, gunnery officer of the Mississippi, testified that Rynes was in a position at the time of the explosion to see practically all that went on inside the turret. Whether Rynes will be able to testify, however, is still uncertain. Aboard the hospital ship [illegible] night his condition was reported critical.

Among others who testified was Captain W. D. Brotherton, commander of the Mississippi, who spoke in highest praise of all his men.

"They did all their duty like men," Captain Brotherton said. "I have nothing but the strongest commendation for them all."

Seemed to Fire on Time.

Ensign J. J. Lerimeur of the battleship New Mexico, who was in the turret as an observer, told of the loading of three 14-inch guns just prior to the explosion.

How the plig[illegible] of the men in turret No. 2 became known to him and others aboard ship was vividly described by Captain Brotherton.

"We had made a rehearsal run," he said, "which was successful, and we then commenced firing.

"We were proceeding without difficulty. I was in the conning tower when we received the signal to make formation 'Baker 2' (a battleship formation in which ships of the line zigzag in their course at 19 knots). I was not watching the mirror closely as the ship was turning. Just as we completed the turn I noticed No. 2 turret fire. I don't know how many guns. In five or 10 seconds, No. 2 fired again and she seemed to fire on time."

Other Guns Continue Firing.

(By the Associated Press)

San Pedro, Cal., June 13. — The explosion that killed 45 men aboard the U. S. S. Mississippi yesterday was not loud enough to be heard outside the gun turret in which it occurred, according to R. J. Macavin of San Francisco, boatswain's mate of the U. S. S. New Mexico, who was one of the few who escaped from the steel death chamber.

"The big guns in the other turret did not stop firing for at least 10 minutes afterward," Macavin added.

"What had happened in No 2 turret was not known around the other guns.

"There was a small explosion like a match being touched to a pile of celluloid, just a puff, then a little flame, then a bigger one that filled the turret like a continuous streak of lightning, accompanied by hot, suffocating smoke.

Men Suffocated, Not Burned.

"The turret was filled with sweating, heated men and was more crowded than usual, because, in addition to its regular crew of 47, our party from the New Mexico was there.

"The big guns had been fired and a shell had just been taken out of the guns in the third compartment. Along the wall were empty powder sacks. I noticed a 468-pound sack in the corner nearest the gun carriage just before the trouble occurred.

"Realizing the danger, we jumped for the two hatches leading to the lower deck. Some of us were lucky—only a few, though—for the fire ran all over the chamber and blocked the two passage ways.

"We who escaped could hear the shouts of the boys pinned in the compartment. They were not burned to death, nor mangled by the explosion. They were most of them, just suffocated."

(By the Associated Press)

San Pedro, Cal., June 13. — The names, home addresses, and extent of the injuries of men hurt in the disaster aboard the U. S. S. Mississippi yesterday were announced from official navy headquarters late today as follows:

F. J. Rynes, chief turret captain; burns; condition serious, Baltimore.

W. H. Ball, seaman, first class; burns; condition serious; Monroe, Ga.

Joe Smith, quartermaster, third class; burns; condition serious; Paris, Ky.

Herbert O. Whited, chief quartermaster; burns; condition serious; San Pedro.

Clyde F. Bentley, seaman, first class; burns; condition favorable; Kansas City.

John L. Karlo, seaman, first class; burns; condition favorable; Denver.

Russell E. Sherer, machinist mate, second class; burns; condition favorable; Springfield, Mo.

Victor A. Wilder, engineer, second class; burns, condition favorable; Webster, Mass.

Ralph E. Harrison, seaman, first class; burns; condition favorable; Greenboro, Ga.

W. B. Smith, seaman, first class; burns; condition favorable; Buckner, Ill.

R. J. Maurod, seaman, second class; contused wound, and abrasions; condition favorable; Rockford, Ill.

G. E. Martin, chief quartermaster; burns; condition favorable; Brooklyn

Died Trying to Flood Turret

(By the Associated Press)

San Pedro, Cal., June 13. — Heroic efforts to save the lives of the men in Turret No. 2 as the flames burst out were made by Lieutenant Thomas E. Zellars one of the three officers whose lives were snuffed out with the progressive burning of smokeless powder.

When rescuing parties entered the death chamber they found the limp hand of Zellars still resting on the sprinkler controls which were partly opened. This was mute evidence of his effort to avert the disaster by flooding the turret with water.

Full Investigation in Open.

Washington, June 13. — Secretary Wilbur declared today that "very careful examination" by a naval court of inquiry will be required before any official explanation of the turret explosion on board the battleship Mississippi can be made. He made it plain that the investigation would be conducted in the open.

The cause of the disaster may be difficult to determine, the secretary said, as many of those who would have been able to give the facts were killed.

A message of sympathy was dispatched by Mr. Wilbur to the captains, officers, and crews of the battleships Mississippi and New Mexico, the later included because several of her men were on the Mississippi at the time of the explosion.

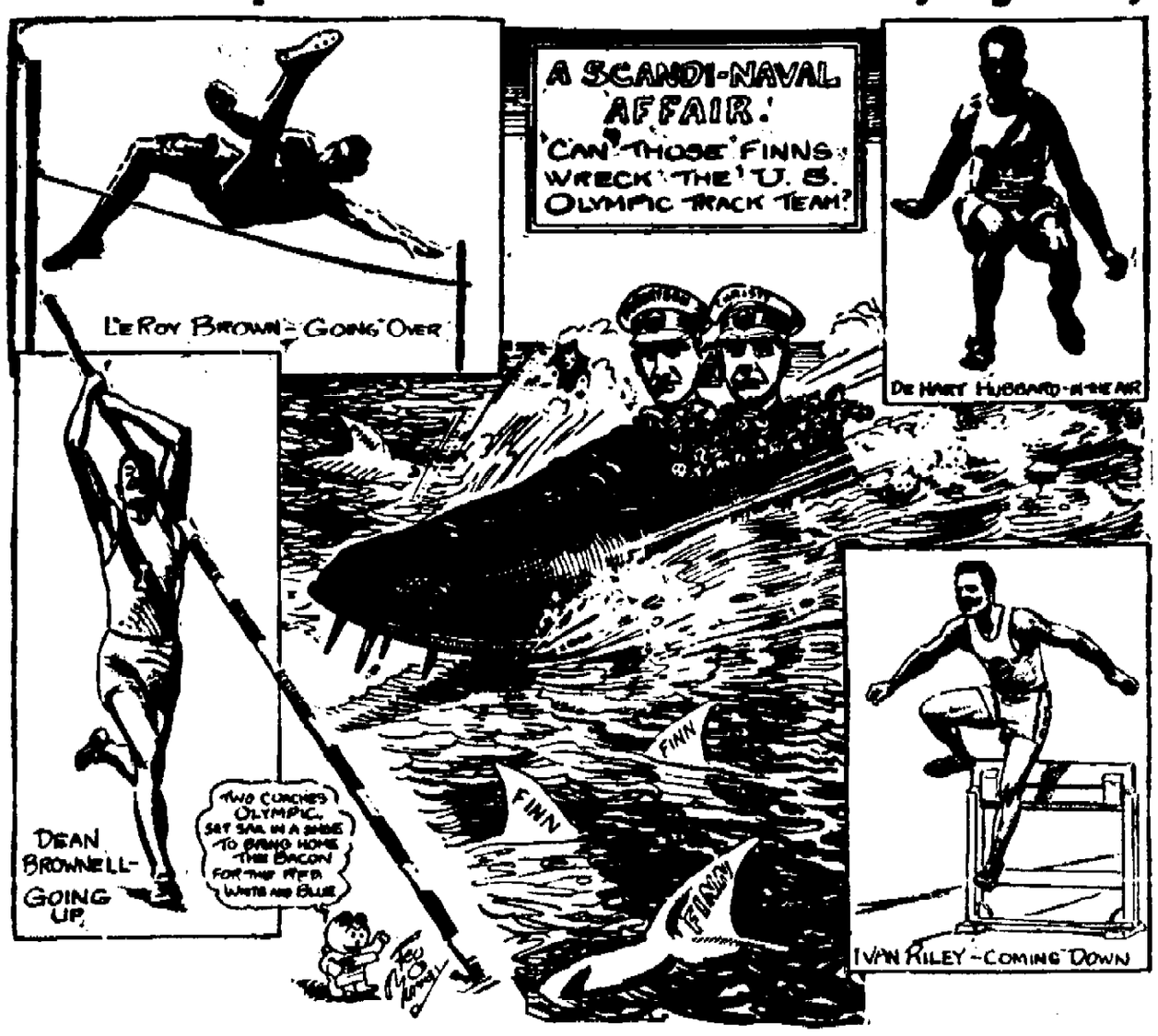
The message said:

"I extend to you my profound sympathy in the loss of your shipmates through the accident on board the Mississippi."

In addition he sent personal messages to families of the dead.

So This Is Leap Year

By Feg Murray



So many of the best track and field athletes in the land will be competing today for places on America's Olympic team that it is impossible to mention more than a few, and even these few, no matter how good their chances look, might be eliminated from a place on the team by four others who may show unexpected strength in the tryouts at the Harvard stadium today.

Anyway, we will consider the four athletes shown above, as each is one of the favorites to make the team, and each competes in some event where a leap or a jump of some sort hurls him up or out through space.

Brown and Brownell go up, and are two of America's best bets in the high jump and pole vault. Brown is last year's national and intercollegiate champion and former holder of the world's indoor record. He went to Dartmouth college and has jumped close to 6 ft. 6 in.

Dean Brownell of the University of Illinois won the Western conference meet last year with a vault of 13 ft. 2 in., and set a new world's record indoor mark this year of 13 ft. ¾ in. Is this the man to beat Charles Hoff of Norway, the present world's champion?

De Hart Hubbard, the dusky Michigan athlete, is probably the greatest broad jumper living, although the world's record of 25 ft. 3 in. is held by another athlete of his race, Ed. Gourdin. Hubbard jumped 25 ft. 7 in. in the national collegiate meet last year, and 25 ft. 1½ in. in the 1923 conference meet. I am wondering if the jinx which followed two other great negro athletes to former Olympic games will also eliminate this jumper. Both Howard Drew, America's best sprinter in 1912, and Sol Butler, the greatest broad jumper in 1920, were put out of the final competition because of injuries, and they, like Hubbard, were considered sure winners.

Ivan Riley, of the Illinois Athletic club, recently equalled the world's record of 54 seconds for the 400 metre, 3-ft. hurdle race. He was national champion in 1923 and is also a high hurdler of rare ability.

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Baseball

AND OTHER INTERESTING EVENTS IN THE SPORT WORLD

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Three-Run Rally by Cincinnati in 10th Proves Too Much for Giants.

New York, June 13. — New York surrendered first place to the Cubs today by losing to Cincinnati in 10 innings, 4 to 1, as Chicago beat Boston.

With the bases full in the 10th, Dean threw wild and Roush, batting for Fowler, singled, for the winning runs. Previous to this frame the game had been a pitching duel with Rixey, Watson, and Dean receiving splendid support. Dressler and Gowdy hit home runs.

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Batteries—Rixey and Wingo; Watson, Dean and Gowdy.

OSBORNE BLOWS IN EIGHTH

Holds St. Louis to Four Hits in Seven Innings — Fournier Makes Three Doubles.

Brooklyn, June 13.—After holding St. Louis to four hits in seven innings, Osborne blew up in the eighth when the Cardinals made six runs off him and Henry to win by 8 to 3. Sothoron would have had a shutout except for three St. Louis errors. Fournier made three doubles. Jim Bottomley left for St. Louis today to have his tonsils out, causing a shift in the St. Louis lineup.

St. Louis	000 001 061—8	11	2	
Brooklyn	110 000 010—3	8	1	

Batteries—Sothoron and Gonzales; Osborne, Henry and DeBerry.

CHICAGO DEFEATS BOSTON

Take League Lead as Cincinnati Wins from New York in 10 Innings.

Boston, June 13. — Chicago went into first place in the National league today by defeating Boston, 5 to 1, while New York was losing to Cincinnati. Kaufmann was hit hard but ineffectively by Boston. In the pinches the home team could do nothing with his delivery. Padgett got three doubles, one of which drove in the Boston run.

Chicago	200 020 001—5	10	1	
Boston	000 100 000—1	9	1	

Batteries—Kaufmann and Hartnett; Stryker, McNamara and O'Neil, Gibson.

Philadelphia-Pittsburgh, rain.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Pittsfield 1-9-3, New Haven 5-7-1.
Albany 1-6-2, Springfield 13-18-0.
Bridgeport 8-12-3, Hartford 4-9-1.
Waterbury 1-6-1, Worcester 5-10-0.

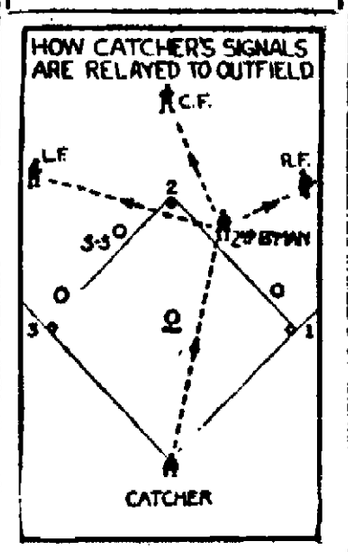
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Rochester 2-9-1, Jersey City 4-10-0.
Syracuse 8-11-0, Newark 1-9-5.
Baltimore-Buffalo, rain.
Toronto-Reading, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee 5-11-4, Columbus 1-8-1.
Kansas City 1-6-2, Toledo 0-5-0.
St. Paul 8-10-4, Indianapolis 12-17-2.
Minneapolis 8-10-4, Louisville 4-9-0.

BASEBALL AS BIG LEAGUERS PLAY IT



Is it important that the outfielders get the signals of what the pitcher is serving up to the batter?

Answered by

KEN WILLIAMS.

Outfielder, St. Louis Browns. Batted .337 last season. One of the most valued players in the National game.

* * *

Yes, it is important and here are the reasons. The distance and the course which a fly ball will travel depends largely on what the pitcher gives the batter to hit at. For this reason it is important that the catcher relay his signals to the outfield so that the fielders can regulate their positions accordingly. The second baseman or the shortstop usually relay the signals to the field, but this relaying must be done in a way which will prevent the opposing coaches from detecting the signals.

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STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League	W	L	P.C
Chicago	21	10	.595
New York	20	20	.500
Brooklyn	25	22	.532
Cincinnati	26	22	.521
Pittsburgh	22	25	.468
Boston	21	25	.457
St. Louis	21	29	.420
Philadelphia	16	28	.364

American League	W	L	P.C
Boston	27	19	.587
New York	27	19	.587
Detroit	25	24	.520
Washington ...	21	24	.467
Chicago	22	24	.478
St. Louis	22	23	.489
Cleveland	20	26	.435
Philadelphia	19	29	.396

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit Fans and Players and Yankee Athletes Stage Big Disturbance — Fist Fights General After Cole Hits Meusel With Pitched Ball—Game Forfeited to New York.

Detroit, June 13. — Intense rivalry between the New York Yankees and the Detroit Tigers culminated in a near riot in the ninth inning of today's game. Members of both teams and fans crowded onto the field and participating in the melee. When the disorder became so intense that police were unable to clear the playing field, Umpire Evans forfeited the game to New York, 9 to 0.

The trouble is said to have started in a game at the Yankee stadium on the last eastern invasion of the Tigers. During that game a fist fight between Blue and McNally was staged and both were banished from the game.

The none too friendly feeling was decidedly noticeable in the first game of the present series Wednesday and it gradually continued to swell until today when Pitcher Cole hit Meusel in the back with a pitched ball. Ruth, who had preceded the Yankee right fielder to the plate, had narrowly escaped being hit with a ball on two occasions. Meusel threw down his bat and rushed at Cole. Meanwhile, the Tiger players congregated and Umpires Evans and Ormsby dragged Meusel away before he could follow up a wild swing. Ruth ran into the center of the diamond just as Manager Cobb of the Tigers came in and they had a heated exchange of words.

Ruth charged the Tiger pitchers were attempting to "bean" the New York players. This Cobb vehemently denied and after order was temporarily restored, Umpire Evans banished Meusel and Cole from the game. The players then just moved leisurely to their respective positions when Meusel, accompanied by "Bullet Joe" Bush, went over to the Tiger dugout.

Meusel, it is charged, made a swing at one of the players and Third Baseman Haney countered. By this time the disorder was general and all Yankee and Tiger players were fighting among themselves.

Irate fans immediately swarmed upon the field. Policemen rushed from all corners of the park but were unable to cope with the situation. Fist fights were common and the fans and policemen were battling each other. Meanwhile the more tranquil ball players had restored peace among their fighting teammates.

Policemen attempted to crowd the frenzied fans from the field, but their efforts were of no avail and encounters broke out afresh. At this point Umpire Evans, seeing that peace could not be restored, officially declared the game forfeited to New York.

The score by innings up to the time of the forfeiture was as follows:

		R	H	E
New York ..	011 000 43—10	10	2	
Detroit	02* 002 00— 4	5	0	

Batteries — S. Jones, Gaston and Schang, Stoner, Cole and Ainsler.

MACKMEN WIN IN SEVENTH

Stage Four-Run Rally — Nose Out Chicago by Lone Tally.

Chicago, June 13. — A triple, three singles, a sacrifice and an error gave Philadelphia four runs in the seventh inning today, enabling them to defeat the Sox, 7 to 6, as the Sox ninth inning rally netted only three runs. Baumgartner pitched one ball in the ninth for the final out, a fly. Umpire Rowland chased Barrett, Sox shortstop, for questioning a decision.

Philadelphia .	000 201 400—7	11	1	
Chicago	003 000 003—6	10	1	

Batteries — Meeker, Baumgartner and Perkins; McWeeney, Connally and Krause.

UHLE WEAKENS IN EIGHTH

Boston Defeats Cleveland, 8 to 3 — Two Homers Feature Game.

Cleveland, June 13. — Uhle weakened in the eighth inning today and Boston defeated Cleveland, 8 to 3. Veach and J. Sewell made homers.

Boston	100 001 032—8	11	2	
Cleveland . .	002 010 000—3	11	3	

Batteries — Ehmke and O'Neill; Uhle, Shaute and Myatt.

GET EDGE IN THIRD

Washington Drives in Four Runs in That Frame, Winning, 6 to 4.

St. Louis, June 13. — Danforth weakened in the third inning and the Washington Senators defeated the Browns today, 6 to 4. The visitors scored four runs in the third frame and drove Danforth out of the box.

Washington .	004 001 001—6	8	1	
St. Louis ...	000 101 200—4	7	3	

Batteries — Johnson, Speece, Marberry and Ruel; Danforth, Davis and Severeid.

SCHEDULE OF TODAY'S GAMES

American League.

New York at Detroit.
Washington at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Cleveland.

National League.

Chicago at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

BOARDER SLAYS WOMAN.

Buffalo, June 13.—Mrs. Helen Stachura, mother of three small children, Thursday gave up her life rather than yield to the advances of Michael J. Barnack, boarder in her home. Barnack slew the woman by slashing her throat with a bread knife and then committed suicide by hanging.

The woman's husband, Leo Stachura, returning from work shortly after 6 o'clock last night, found the two bodies less than five feet apart, in a blood spattered attic of his home. All indications point to a desperate struggle on the part of the woman before she met death.

Do tulips last? The tulips in the McCarthy Clothing company window were cut June 1 at the Rice street Greenhouses, and are now in fine condition. People who fear the instant qualities of these fine cut flowers are invited to look at this basket. advt tf.

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GLENS FALLS PLAYERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Schenectady, June 13.—Members of the Glens Falls baseball team, returning home from Oneonta, escaped injury this afternoon when their enclosed automobile left the road and overturned on a hill at Duanesburg, near here. After summoning assistance, the men went it, found it to be little damaged, and continued their trip. It is believed the car skidded on the wet road at a turn.

WIDE SEARCH BEING MADE FOR ITALIAN SOCIALISTS

(By the Associated Press.)

Rome, June 13. — A nationwide search is being made by the police for Giacomo Matteoti, known as the "millionaire Socialist deputy," who has mysteriously disappeared. Matteoti has not been seen since last Tuesday. His wife, in reporting the disappearance of the deputy Thursday, said she was fearful that he had been kidnapped. He had with him when last seen a number of documents which he intended to use in a speech he was to make in the chamber against the government.

Premier Mussolini has ordered the police authorities throughout Italy to make a diligent search for Matteoti. The police today questioned several other Socialist deputies and the reports that they received tended further to confuse the case than solve the mystery.

HAIL AND WIND DO DAMAGE.

Galesburg, Ill., June 13.—Damage estimated at nearly $1,000,000 was occasioned by a tornado and hail storm in this section early Thursday. Considerable livestock was reported killed.

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SATURDAY'S PROGRAMS.

WGY — Schenectady — 380 Meters.

11:30 a. m.—Stock market report.
11:00 a. m.—Produce market report.
11:55 a. m.—Time signals.
6:30 p. m.—Hotel TenEyck dance music.

WEAF — New York — 492 Meters.

1:30 p. m.—Flag day exercises, from Wanamaker auditorium.
3:30 p. m.—Olympic Cycling team. Sara V. Tartini soprano.
4:00 p. m.—Olympic Boxing team. Edna Walter, pianist.
6:00 p. m.—"Flag Day," Alice Darrel Hauck.
6:00 p. m.—Mary Morris, soprano; I. Pinchashkif, concertina.
8:30 p. m.—Club Lido Venice orchestra.

WRAF — New York — 492 Meters.

3:00 p. m.—Orchestra selections. Vocal and 'cello numbers. Dinner music.
7:00 p. m.—"Hiking as an Ideal Recreation," Royal H. Burpee.
6:45 p. m.—Rata Prescot, concert pianist.
7:00 p. m.—Bedtime stories.
7:25 p. m.—Vocal and piano numbers. Dramatic readers. Vocal and violin numbers.
10:00 p. m.—Vincent Lopez's orchestra.

WFI — Philadelphia, Pa. — 395 Meters.

12:00 m.—Stratford Hotel orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—Artists' recital. Melody Boys' dance orchestra.
5:00 p. m.—"Sunny Jim — the Kiddies' Pal."
5:30 p. m.—Stratford Hotel orchestra.
6:00 p. m.—Michael Fanikant and his Maine cafe orchestra. Philadelphia County Medical society talk.
7:15 p. m.—Administration chorus of the Board of Education of Philadelphia.
8:00 p. m.—Program by employes of the Fenton Label company.

WRC — Washington, D. C. — 469 Meters

6:00 p. m.—Children's hour by Peggy Albion.
6:30 p. m.—Baseball scores.
7:30 p. m.—Dance program by Bill Reeves and his original Peacock orchestra. Bible talk. Joint recital by Marx E. Kahn, reader; Theodore Roth, violinist, and Paul D. Gabel, pianist. Roy K. Easter, baritone.
10:00 p. m.—Hawaiian music.

WTAM — Cleveland, Ohio — 390 Meters.

6:00 p. m.—Hotel Statler concert. Baseball scores. WTAM dance orchestra.

KDKA — East Pittsburgh — 326 Meters.

2:15 p. m.—Baseball scores, inning by inning.
5:30 p. m. — Dinner concert. Baseball scores. Dinner concert, continued.
6:30 p. m.—"Tom, Tom, the Piper's Son, will pipe for the Radio Children."
6:45 p. m.—Sunday school lesson.
7:00 p. m.—Baseball scores. Sport review.
7:30 p. m.—Banquet of American Flag Day association.

WBZ — Springfield, Mass.)—337 Meters.

6:00 p. m.—Leo Reisman ensemble.
7:00 p. m.—Baseball results. Concert continued.
7:30 p. m.—Bedtime story.
7:40 p. m.—Hotel Kimball trio.
8:30 p. m.—Jordon Trio concert.

WGI — Medford, Mass. — 360 Meters.

6:30 p. m.—Talk on current events. Musicale.

WOC — Davenport, Iowa — 484 Meters.

1:00 p. m.—Chimes concert.
4:30 p. m.—Educational program.
7:30 p. m.—Sandman's visit.
10:00 p. m.—Orchestra program.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAMS.

WGY — Schenectady — 380 Meters.

9:30 a. m.—Zion Lutheran church.
6:30 p. m.—Zion Lutheran church.

WEAF — New York — 492 Meters.

2:00 p. m.—"Sunday Hymn Sing."
3:00 p. m.—Interdenominational services.
4:00 p. m.—"Primitive Religion," talk on Old Testament.
6:20 p. m.—Musical program from Capitol theatre.
8:15 p. m.—Organ recital.

WJZ — New York — 455 Meters.

8:00 a. m.—Children's hour. Original stories by authors, music by composers.
10:00 a. m.—West End Presbyterian church
6:00 p. m.—Bubble Book stories.
6:15 p. m.—Nathan Abas and his Hotel Pennsylvania orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—"The Annalist's Talk for Business Men."
7:15 p. m.—Hotel Pennsylvania orchestra.
7:45 p. m.—"Ethics of Maimonides," by Rabbi Louis Finkelstein.
8:15 p. m.—Musical numbers.
9:00 p. m.—John Marshall, baritone.
10:00 a. m.—Calvary Episcopal church.
1:45 p. m.—Vocal concert and orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—Dr. Charles Heinroth organ recital.
3:45 p. m.—Shadyside Presbyterian church
5:30 p. m.—Pittsburgh Athletic association orchestra.

WBZ — Springfield, Mass. — 337 Meters.

9:55 a. m.—South Congregational church.
5:30 p. m.—Springfield Municipal chimes.
8:00 p. m.—Vocal recital.
8:30 p. m.—Violin concert.

WGI — Medford, Mass. — 360 Meters.

3:00 p. m.—"Adventure Hour." Musicale.
7:30 p. m.—Boston Federation of Churches. Musical.

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Otsego County News

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kirby, Superintendent of Unadilla Dairymen's League Plant, Guests of Employes.

Unadilla, June 13.—One of the most enjoyable events of the week was a complimentary dinner given Thursday evening, at 6 o'clock by the employes of the Dairymen' league plant to their superintendent and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kirby. Mr. Kirby has been the superintendent here since December, 1922, and is to be transferred to Cooperstown, taking up his duties there on Monday next.

A large room on the second floor of the league building had been transformed by his friends into a dining room and Gurney, of the Depot street restaurant, engaged to serve the dinner. Chicken and biscuit and strawberry shortcake sound tempting, and it is described as a "regular man's meal" with an abundance of substantials, well cooked and served, and dainties, included with the heartier food. About 75 partook of this appetizing dinner and enjoyed the events.

A. J. Handy acted as toastmaster. The list of speakers is a long one, but some of them will be mentioned: Wm. W. Lewis, assistant superintendent of manufacturing plants; Alferd Evans, plant foreman; Howard Bundy, Mr. Kirby's successor here; Mr. McClaury of Sidney, superintendent of the Susquehanna farms; Mr. Ives, assistant superintendent at Mt. Upton; Mr. Pearsall, chief clerk at Mt. Upton; A. L. Weiss, former chemist here, now at Cooperstown; Mr. Salisbury, assistant superintendent at Unadilla; Robert Shattrick, superintendent of construction work; A. D. Potter, in charge of trucking; George Munger, with stories of the "Leatherstocking country, and several of the employes.

Mr. Kirby responded with expressions of appreciation of the kindness and helpfulness of his workers and associates, expressing regret at losing their companionship, which has been most pleasant.

Mrs. Truit was one of the speakers for the women, and Mrs. Kirby's response was a tribute to their happy acquaintance here.

The spirit of all the speeches and working force was felt and expressed, together with hopes for a prosperous and happy future, and occasional reunions.

Mrs. Kirby has been an active worker in St. Matthew's Sabbath school, in Freedom chapter, O. E. S., and in social activities and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby will find a large circle of friends, who will always welcome their returns to Unadilla, which it is hoped will be frequent. Mrs. Kirby will remain in Unadilla for the present.

Howard Bundy, the new superintendent, needs no introduction. He was one of the builders and owners of the Sisson-Bundy block, at the corner of Main and Martin Brook streets, and was in the hardware business here for several years. He will find many friends to welcome his return and also find that the men and women who are loyal to Mr. Kirby will welcome him and be faithful in the performance of their duties with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby leave friends and Mr. Bundy returns to friends who wish them success and happiness in their new homes and places of interest.

Many Clothes for Near East.

The people of this vicinity have been quite generous in their gifts of clothing. Five bags, weighing 225 pounds, have been received at the community house and shipped to the Near East relief station at Brooklyn.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Elizabeth Joralemon of Elmira and Arthur F. Chase of Unadilla. The wedding day will be June [illegible]

To Attend Scout Rally.

A large number of the members of Troops 1 and 3 of this place will attend the rally of the Otsego-Schoharie Boy Scout council at Oneonta Saturday.

Hunt Buys Ontio Farm Again.

Fred E. Hunt has bought the Ontio farm for the third time. He has sold for Reuben Smith and Nancy J. Butler the Charles Pomeroy farm between Trout Creek and Sidney Center to W. A. Nesbit of Otego. Possession given Monday, the day of the sale.

Graduates from U. of Va.

Frederick Morse, who has several relatives and numerous friends in Unadilla, graduated this week from the University of Virginia at Charlotteville, Va. He is an honor graduate, receiving engineering and mechanical degrees. He is a member of Tau Beta Phi, a national engineers honor society, and of the Raven society, an honor conferred by the university. The first of July he will take a position with Stone and Webster, consulting engineers in Boston.

Special Election Tuesday.

The special election, scheduled for Tuesday, June 17, to decide the question of improving the streets of the village, is receiving a good amount of attention and discusison pro and con.

Attends Funeral at Susquehanna.

Mrs. B. W. Stearns attended the funeral of a relative, Miss Nellie Graham, in Susquehanna, Wednesday. Mrs. Cora Foster, vice principal of the High school, accompanied her as far as Windsor and called on the family of her brother, Rev. Davis.

Elected Trustee of Pocahontas.

At the meeting of the grand council of the degree of Pocahontas, held in Auburn this week, Mrs. Claude Oles, one of the Unadilla delegates, was elected great trustee, one of three to receive that office.

Personal.

Miss Flora Bedient of Gulliford, daughter of Louis Bedient, former resident of Unadilla, has been a guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston on Adams street.—Miss Marcia Curtis of Gilbertsville, a resident of this village for a number years, is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Heman Quimby. —Miguel Gasco of Sidney and Miss Gladys Hilborn of Utica have been recent guests of Miss Hazel Manwaring. — Miss Beulah Carpenter, a teacher in Summit, N. J., a former resident of Oneonta, is spending a portion of her vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter, of Fellows street. — Mesdames Della Tabor, Evelyn Stearns, Minnie Hanford, Evalena McIntosh and Charlotte Hull attended the meeting of the Past Matron's association, held in Schenevus today. — Miss Katharine Cone of New York and Miss Barbara Cone of Cornell university are enjoying their vacation at the Cone homestead.

FUNERAL OF MRS. KEITH

Largely Attended Services Held at Laurens Yesterday Morning.

Laurens, June 13. — The funeral services of the late Mrs. Jennie Keith were held on Wednesday at 11 o'clock. The W. C. T. U. of which she was a member attended the services in a body. There were many beautiful floral pieces given by the church, W. C. T. U., relatives and friends. The bearers were F. M. Tanner, Oscar Hopkins, Darius Peaslee, and Marshall Sargents. Interment was made in Sidney. There were relatives and friends from Oneonta, Sidney, Norwich, Bainbridge, Davenport Center and Pennsylvania. Rev. N. E. Graves made suitable remarks from Zachariah 14: 7, "At evening time there shall be light." The last hours of our Lord were full of anguish and pain. He seemed to be enveloped in a cloud of sorrow. It was because He suffered so that we are privileged to have light at eventide of life. Jesus has brought to us the gleam in the [illegible] a good man who pass out of this life without pain in the last days; and the cloud that envelopes the beyond just helps to give a feeling to hold back from crossing the flood. The Christian though has a light that shines for his or her Lord has said "Because I live, ye shall live also." The speaker referred to the beautiful life of the deceased and how though infirmity held her from activity, yet she associated herself heart and hand with both the church and the W. C. T. U.

Rope Splicing Demonstration.

There will be a rope splicing demonstration at the Laurens Grange hall on Monday evening, June 16th, at 7:30 p. m. This work is intensely practical and will be profitable as well as interesting to all. Anyone who has any hay rope in need of repair is asked to bring it along. It is hoped a good crowd will be present.

Several Schools Picnic Friday.

Friday was the closing day for several vicinity rural schools, and a picnic was held at Gilbert's lake for the pupils in the Allen district with Miss Edna Gray, teacher; pupils of the Strong district, Mrs. G. W. Irish, teacher; pupils of the Cope district, Mrs. S. M. Gray, teacher, and pupils of Gardnertown district, S. M. Gray, teacher. A fine time was enjoyed, and loads of good things to eat.

On Trip to Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bard left Friday to spend the remainder of the week in the Adirondacks, fishing and sight seeing.

Personal.

M. J. Mallory was called to New Berlin, Wednesday, on receiving word that his son, residing there, had been injured in a runaway accident. He reports him as doing well. — Claude Carr and family have moved here from Binghamton. — Miss Mable Burnside of Boston, Mass., who has been here assisting her mother in packing and selling some of her household furniture, left for her home on Thursday. Mrs. Melissa Burnside will visit relatives in Oneonta and vicinity for a time, going later to spend the winter with her daughter in Boston. — Mrs. Herbert Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jetter and son of Schenectady were guests the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keith, and Mrs. D. C. Pashley. — Mrs. M. E. Bartlett of Earlville is a guest at the home of George E. Bond. — Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Millard are spending a few days with relatives in Binghamton. — Mrs. Erving Davis of Davenport Center was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bond on Wednesday. — Friday, June 13th, Trade Day in Oneonta, called several from here to that city. — Orson Van Dyke of Utica visited his father, D. Van Dyke on Wednesday.

PAST MATRONS MEET

About Fifty Delegates From Eight Chapters of Otsego-Schoharie District Attend Schenevus Meeting.

Schenevus, June 13. — Attending the Past Matrons' association of the Otsego-Schoharie district at the Masonic hall Friday were guests from eight chapters in all 56 present. An enjoyable luncheon was served in the banquet room at 12:30 o'clock with matrons of Schenevus chapter presiding at each table with officers of the chapter waiting on table. The company and fun justice to the spread prepared.

The business session was called to order by the president, Mrs. Eva Chase, of Schenevus, and a profitable afternoon enjoyed. Eight new members were taken into the association.

The civilian salute was adopted in connection with the pledge of allegiance to the flag. An invitation was received to hold the annual picnic at LaSalle Park in Schoharie, the 3rd Thursday in July. The annual meeting in October will be with Otsego chapted in Cooperstown.

Regents' Examinations.

Regents' examinations will be held in the High school next week. The preliminary subjects come as follows: English, Monday afternoon; arithmetic, Tuesday morning; spelling and reading, Tuesday afternoon; geography, Wednesday morning, and history, Wednesday afternoon.

Attend Baptist Association Meeting.

Roger Broxholm, son of Rev. Thomas Broxholm, was in attendance at the Worcester Baptist association meeting held in Cobleskill Tuesday and Wednesday.

To Attend Becker Funeral in Body.

Schenevus Valley lodge will attend the funeral services of the late brother Horatio P. Becker on Saturday. Notice is hereby given to assemble in the lodge room promptly at 2 o'clock. The Masonic committal service will be given at the cemetery.

In Milford Church Concert.

Rev. L. A. Duren and Rev. George Summerson and Mrs. Summerson of Portlandville appeared in concert at the Methodist church in Milford Friday evening.

Two Days to Pay Taxes

Saturday and Monday are the two last days for paying County taxes at the one per cent rate. About half the taxes are still unpaid.

Lighting Franchise Transferred.

The Public Service commission granted an order on June 12th, at Albany, consenting to the sale and transfer of the property and franchises of The Great Bear Light and Power company to The Fulton County Gas and Electric company. It is understood that the matter of the transfer will be closed at an early date and in the near future the construction work of connecting this territory with the lines of the latter company will be commenced.

Personals.

Mrs Charles Noxon and daughter, Jean, from Oneonta, are spending several days in town.—Julian L. Hubbard, who was so severely burned near his gasoline tank on Main street several weeks ago, is out and around again, making an excellent recovery. —James Miller has returned from the Fox Memorial hospital, although it is still necessary for him to go to the hospital each day for dressing.

DEATH OF MRS. ALICE TUCKER.

Was Thirty Years Resident of Town of Hartwick—Funeral Tuesday.

Mt. Vision, June 12. — Mrs. Alice C. Tucker died Saturday, June 7. She was born September 8, 1857, in the town of Middlefield and was the daughter of Richard and Fanny Eckler. On September 27, 1876, she was united in marriage to Charles F. Tucker and for over thirty years they have resided in the town of Hartwick, where she died. For many years she has been a member of the Methodist church at Mt. Vision. She was one who was respected by all. She is survived by the husband, one daughter, Mrs. Charles Tilyou, and one grandson, Vivian L. Tilyou, beside numerous other relatives.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday by her pastor, Rev. Charles Young, assisted by a former pastor, Rev. S. A. Terry of Oneonta. Burial in the Mt. Vision cemetery. Friends in attendance from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. B. F. Slater, Mrs. Elizabeth Eckler, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Eckler of Middlefield, Mrs. Ed. Eckler of Cooperstown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wills of Christian Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Manzer and son of Oneonta, Mr. and Mrs. George V. Tucker of East Orange, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tilyou of St. Johnsville.

Clear Twenty Dollars.

At their dinner last Wednesday the Ladies' Aid cleared about twenty dollars.

Class Party at Mt. Vision.

There will be a class party at Bert Field's residence Friday evening. Mrs. Elmer Field and Mrs. Albert Straight with their Sunday school classes and others are invited.

Mt. Vision Personals.

Addison Robinson visited a few days recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Kendal Dunn, Oneonta.—Rev. S. A. Terry was in town Tuesday calling on old parishioners. All were glad to see him again.—Fred Green and wife, Mrs. Melissa Green, of Oneonta were at he place here Thursday. They attended the funeral of Frank Pattengill.—Hiram Saxton went Wednesday to Cooperstown to attend the Baptist association and visited relatives while there. — Mrs. James Clark of Chicago and two children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith. — Mrs. David Skellie closed her school at Fall Bridge Friday. She is to teach the coming year.—Friends here of Frank Pattengill were grieved to hear of his death. The mother, wife, children, brothers and sisters have the sympathy of all.

PAST MATRONS OF OTEGO

Ten Representatives of Local O. E. S. Visit Schenevus.

Otego, June 13. — Ten Past Matrons of Otego chapter, O. E. S., attended the semi-annual meeting of the Past Matrons' association which was held at Schenevus on Friday and report a large attendance and a very enjoyable time.

Health Matters.

The friends of William W. Buchanan are pleased to see him out again after his long confinement on account of the serious injury which he sustained some months since. The epidemic of mumps which has been going the rounds here lately seems to be abating and so far as we have been able to learn all the afflicted ones are recovering nicely.

Visiting in Otego.

Mrs. J. W. Bick of Susquehanna, Pa., is visiting at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Card, of the Breffle hotel.

Commencement on Tuesday.

The Commencement exercises of [illegible] will be held at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, June 24, at 8 o'clock and the Senior class extends a cordial invitation to all to attend these exercises. Class day will be observed at the schoolhouse on Monday evening, June 23, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Charles C. Volz of Hawley, Pa., will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday evening, June 22, in the Methodist church.

Notice to Odd Fellows.

All Odd Fellows are requested to be present June 19th and 26th for important business.

Special Notice.

Otego Odd Fellows and Grangers are contemplating the holding of an old-fashioned celebration July 4th. Why not get together for a good time?

HARTWICK NEWS.

Reopening of Methodist Church Sunday — High School Notes.

Hartwick, June 13. — The Methodist church will be opened for services on Sunday, June 15, after being closed for repairs for several weeks. At the morning service, Rev. Egbert Kilpatrick will preach. Mr. Kilpatrick was a former pastor of this church. The sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered at the close of the service.

High School Commencement.

There are seven members of the 1924 graduating class from Hartwick High school: Edna Balcom, Gertrude Moak, Frances Palmer, Marion Ward, Henry Bonnett, and Ford Risley. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. A. H. Landmesser at the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday evening, June 22. [illegible] will be held in the E. M. B. A. hall on Tuesday evening, June 24, at 8 o'clock.

High School Principal Injured.

During baseball practice Tuesday evening, Prin. Alexander had the misfortune to injure his right ankle, tearing the ligaments loose on the outside. On Wednesday he was taken to Oneonta by Dr. Phillips for purpose of X-ray. Mr. Alexander is able to get about with crutches.

Food Sale Saturday.

A food sale will be held at Palmer's market at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, by the Fidelity class of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Unadilla Home Talent Play.

Under the auspices of the Willing Workers of the Methodist Episcopal church, a three-act drama, "Home Acres," will be given by Unadilla talent at the E. M. B. A. hall in this village on Friday evening, June 27th.

MARRIAGE AT MILFORD.

Miss Helen Sweet is Bride of Hother Hjortholm.

Milford, June 12.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sweet of Milford was the scene of a beautiful wedding, Wednesday, June 11, at 2.30 p. m., when their daughter, Helen, was united in marriage to Hother Hjortholm of New York. The home was beautifully decorated with apple blossoms, and purple and white lilacs. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. C. Christensen of Laurens. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, Thomas Sweet, wore a handsome gown of white canton crepe, embroidered with beads. The tulle veil was arranged on her head with white lilacs. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, her sister, Miss Elsie Sweet, wore a gown of peach colored voile and carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses. The best man was J. Viole, a cousin of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the guests sat down to a very tempting lunch. The happy couple were then motored to Oneonta, where they left for their new home in Brooklyn. Mr. Hjortholm is an employe of a steamship company in New York. The bride is a well known young lady of this vicinity and all wished them off with the best wishes for a happy future.

MARYLAND

Maryland, June 13. — Miss Francis Odell, who has been sick the past four weeks, was removed to the Parshal hospital yesterday for treatment. — Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Van Zant, Mrs. L. G. Southworth and Mrs. Carl Brown went yesterday to Schenectady on a pleasure trip. — Corlis Southworth has come home for his summer vacation. — Mr. and Mrs. Percey Palmeter of Worcester visited her father, William Gaffy, one day this week. — Miss Emily Van Zant is home for her summer vacation. — Miss Mildred Cook of Syracuse came home for a month's vacation and her friends are sorry to learn she was removed to Fox hospital Wednesday for an operation. — The many friends of Miss Ruth Michels are glad to learn she is improving and able to be sitting up. — Miss Vian Chamberlain and her mother of Albany are spending a few days in her summer home here. — Millard Cady has gone to Malone to work with his truck on a large state road contract. — Elmer Cady has taken over the business of drawing milk from Maryland to Worcester. — William Clark is working at the ice cream stand of Mrs. Grace Fancher, located on her farm near Milford. — Miss Elizabeth Spencer of the Brooklyn hospital was home over Decoration day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Spencer. — Stephen Carmick of Hartwick Seminary spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. William Spencer.

EAST WORCESTER DATA.

Robert E. Howe Returns Tuesday from Fox Memorial Hospital.

East Worcester, June 13.—Robert E. Howe, who has been in the Fox Memorial hospital at Oneonta for the past few weeks, was able to return to his home last Tuesday. He stood

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and
Leatherstocking Tales

HARTWICK TODAY
JACK PICKFORD
in
"THE HILL BILLY"
and
Leatherstocking Tales

TODAY SIDNEY TODAY

"RED LIGHTS"

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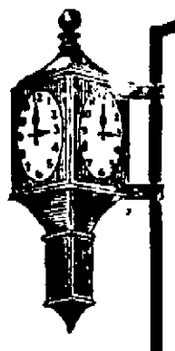

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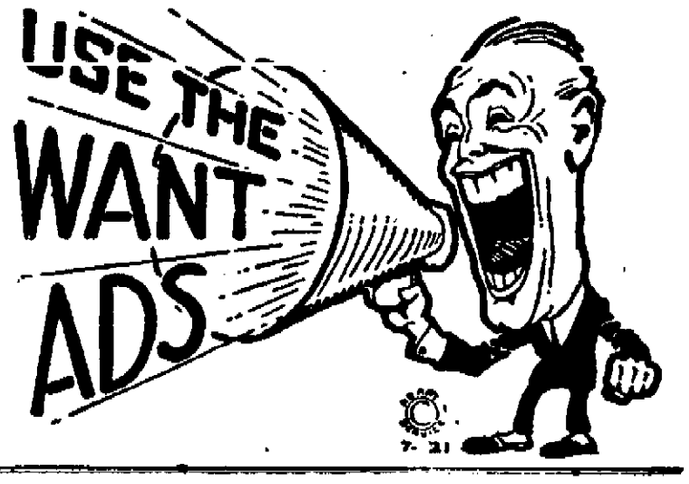
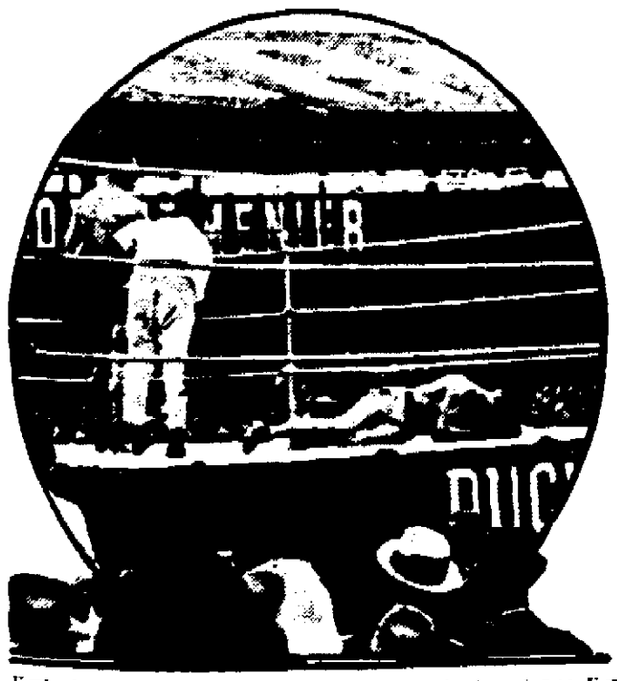


Criqui Takes the Count



[illegible] pictures from France showing how Criqui [illegible] was [illegible] when he met Dan Frush, who hails from Baltimore, Cleveland and Terre Haute. Frush will next meet Johnny Dundee.

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PRESS AND PRESIDENT

While newspapers of different political faith have different views as to who should be elected next president of the United States, a notable feature of all editorial comment regarding the nomination of Calvin Coolidge, which as yet has come to the editorial desk of The Star is evidence of high regard as regards the character, high repute and statesmanlike qualities of one who, coming almost without notice to the highest office, has from the first admirably comported himself. From the day when the convention was called, or even earlier, his nomination had been a foregone conclusion; but it is notable that, though the vote at Cleveland was practically unanimous, it was to an extent as great the expression of a sentiment of approval on the part of his party constituents, throughout the country, even if in every respect they had not agreed with him.

The Springfield Republican, which despite its name is not a Republican party newspaper, speaking for the constituents of the nominee in his own state, says in part:

"Mr. Coolidge is nominated at last for President in his own name and in his own right. He has the commission of supreme leader tendered to him by a great and historic party. If we can assume his election, his career probably is only in the dawn of its greatest splendor."

The New York Tribune and Herald, chief newspaper representative of the Republican party in the city of New York, speaking of the nominee and of the principles which he represents, puts the issue of the campaign as it views it squarely before its readers when it says: "This campaign will be one largely to decide whether or not the alien notion of bloc-ism is to supplant the old conception of majority integrity and control. The issue will be accentuated by the appearance of a bloc Presidential nominee, supported by a bogus third party. President Coolidge has earned the right to lead the offensive against this foreign influence, which would destroy parties for the benefit of politicians and ruin the representative character of our government."

The New York Times, conservatively Democratic, ends a long analytical article with the following words of warning to the delegates to the national convention of its own party:

"It will take some Democrat to defeat Mr. Coolidge. The candidate to be pitted against him will have to be his equal in character, in steadiness and in the feeling of security which he gives to the country, and superior to him in the gifts of vigorous leadership. The Democrats ought not to lose a day in casting about to find such a man if they are to have any hope at all of defeating President Coolidge next November."

The Utica Press of yesterday morning, in its analysis of the situation calls the nomination of Coolidge "A Personal Triumph." "Sentiment" it says, "began to grow from the moment he assumed the presidency. The fickleness of Congress and its subordination to the various appeals of contrary interests, gave him an opportunity to show his metal. He made no effort to coerce the national legislature by political means, and he refused to be coerced himself. He announced his policies and stood by them."

The New York World, which scathingly denounces officials who it affirms brought disgrace upon party and country at an earlier date, says that the country "turned with utter relief to Calvin Coolidge. * * * who was a quiet man, lived simply and brought with him all the antique virtues appropriate to the golden age of American memories. He came from a background which is the background of all American history; for whatever the national origins, creeds of principles of the people who compose this country, it is from New England of the Puritans that they have taken the touchstone of public virtue."

It will be noted that these testimonials are to Coolidge as the man and not at least on the part of some of the papers quoted, to the party which he represents. On this matter of party principles and not of individual candidates merely the leaders of the Democratic party will unquestionably seek to make their campaign.

Lodge at Cleveland.

"There is no fight," says Henry Cabot Lodge at Cleveland, flat on his back with the Coolidge steam-roller receding in the distance. "I don't want any one to misunderstand my position."

No one could. Henry Cabot has fallen on hard times. "Word goes down the line," wires that star reporter, William Allen White, "that Lodge is to do penance. He may have to stand in his pajamas three hours before he gets into the convention at all."

Mr. Coolidge's lieutenants seem to have taken care of Mr. Lodge in Cleveland, but who's going to take the contract next December?—New York World.

"The Cassette"

Next to the discarding members of the Old Guard, the most pathetic spectacle of the convention is the husbands of lady delegates. Entertainment of all sorts has been provided for the wives of male delegates, but nothing has been done officially for the husbands of female delegates. There are about 50 of these unfortunates, and they have already formed a loose organization (the collective is said to be the husband not the animal noun) called "The Cassette." It's spelled in "Alice on the clock." Mr. Smith to entice them have a street parade have ob for both unexciting.—New York Times.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

A New Sport in Kansas.

If you want to get a thing across you have got to arouse the sporting instinct, which everybody possesses to a more or less degree. That has been demonstrated in the contest which has been going on between the Sunday schools of the Presbyterian churches of Clay Center and Concordia. If men had simply been asked to go to Sunday school mighty few would have gone. But when they were asked if they were going to let the kind of gang which inhabits Concordia beat them, that was a different matter. Why fellows even stayed away from the golf grounds Sunday morning until after 11 o'clock, in order to go to the Presbyterian Sunday school. The result was an attendance of about 500 in face of the fact that a bunch of Belleville golf sharks were in town for the day. Fellows who hardly knew whether they used saxophones or a calliope for Sunday school music, were in attendance. And they say they are going to give Concordia a beating next Sunday that Concordia won't soon forget. Atta boy! Eah yah!—Clay Center, Kansas, Times.

The Dawn of Peace.

Earl Grey asserted in a recent address in England that the only provocation, outside actual attack on British territory, that would cause England to go to war would be an attack on the covenant of the League of Nations. England is for peace and purposes to support the tribunal created by treaty for the preservation of peace. Slowly and apparently against the will of some national leaders, Europe is getting over the war habit. The people have ceased to think in military language. They are willing to live and let live.—Los Angeles Times.

Developing "White Coal."

Completion of the Piney dam in the Clarion river, the first of several through which the power of the falling water is to be transformed into electric current, is a more significant event than it appears on its face. It marks the first important step towards the utilization of the "white coal" (as the French call water power) of Western Pennsylvania.—Pittsburgh Post.

Reichstag Accepts Dawes Plan.

Although the German parliament, by only a narrow margin, sustained the Marx-Stresemann policy of supporting the Dawes plan, this action constitutes another step in the right direction. It had been feared that the Nationalist elements would prove sufficiently strong to bring about a deadlock.—New York Times.

The Best Way.

About the best work that can be done toward insuring world peace just now is to put the United States in a position that will make it unprofitable for any other country to try to put over anything. — Detroit Free Press.

A Democratic Judgment.

It is none of our business to meddle in the Republican row, but Coolidge's failure to lead his party in congress is no disgrace. A President would have to be disgraceful himself to lead such a bunch.—Houston Dispatch.

An Awful Thought.

Let us think seriously a moment and imagine what a world this would be if all men were in congress and all women in the movies.—Galveston News.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

JUST THE ONE BODY.

A speaker addressing a group of young men said.

"You've only got one life fellows, just the one. What are you going to do with it?"

Naturally I thought he might easily have said,

"You've only got one body what are you going to do with it?"

Your answer will be, "Well, I didn't select this body of mine. I was born with it, and I'll have to make the best of it."

That of course is my point, "to make the best of it."

It is like a car. Some get a real high powered machine, and others get one that is low priced but serviceable.

Both cars give good service, but either one can get you into an awful lot of trouble if you are careless with it.

And so my thought is that you just take stock of your body. You can't get a new one, nor can you, as yet, replace worn out parts.

It has to do you for your lifetime.

And the wonderful thing is that despite its sins, despite trouble with heart, with stomach, with kidneys and other parts, it will keep on going for you the best it can.

If you were presented with a good body by your parents, have taken good care of it, you are getting a satisfaction out of it, and out of life that makes life really worth the living.

If you inherited a good body and have committed excesses in eating, drinking, or in other things, then later, if not now, you'll pay the price, because nature pays all her debts.

If, however, you got off to a poor start physically, either with a tendency to excessive leanness or excessive fat, or perhaps with a poor digestion or other defect, don't get discouraged with it. Just take what you've got, and make the best possible investment of time and thought upon it.

Let your family physician overhaul you. Tell him all about yourself, how you eat, what you eat, what sleep you get, what exercise you take, what symptoms of pain you sometimes have, everything in fact. Then have the good sense to follow his advice.

It isn't always the strong fellows that live the longest. They take too many chances with their strength because they think they are made of iron. Something snaps and it is all over.

The fellow who knows his own body, knows his strong parts, and more particularly his weak parts has it over the strong or the weak fellow who does not know his own body.

YOU WON'T CATCH THE OLD MASTER NAPPING

TWENTY AND THIRTY YEARS AGO

Days of Old Recalled by Items Clipped from The Star Files.

June 14, 1904.

The demand for cars on the D. & H. railroad has become so great that all employes in the car shops have been placed on full time.

Mackintoshes were received last evening by our policemen and hereafter on rainy days they will not be obliged to stand under awnings or on the back piazza.

To one acquainted with the old Normal building a visit to the grounds will convince him of how much the new building will resemble the destroyed one in general contour. The size and details are somewhat different but as the new building gradually rises one is strongly reminded of the old building.

Yesterday afternoon Harry Hemenway, as a competitor for the handsome banner presented by the Ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. for the runner who shall make the best time over a six mile track, made a great record over the road from Colliers to the Central hotel steps in this village. The distance is supposed to be a full six miles and he covered the ground in exactly 35 minutes.

June 14, 1894.

A. G. Russell, who since the D. & H. company took possession of the depot restaurant has been manager thereof, has resigned that position to take effect at once. Mr. Russell will be succeeded by F. E. Young of Albany.

M. LaVerne Wilson and Miss Ethel M. Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gardner, will be united in marriage this morning at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. T. G. McGonigal, rector of St. James' Episcopal church.

A force of men is at work moving the frame dwelling at 12 Fairview street, on the lot adjoining the armory, to a new site on Cliff street. The house is one recently purchased by Senator W. L. Brown from the state and is being moved to make room for the new armory.

The Protected Home circle has elected the following officers for the next six months: President, A. C. Bouton; vice president, C. C. Champlin; guardian, Ella Pope; secretary, J. C. Richmond; accountant, A. E. Nye; treasurer, H. Eckerson; chaplain, Alice Mann; guide, Florence Birdsall; companion, Carrie Terrell; porter, Cornelia Flanagan; watchman, Elizabeth Shufelt; organist, Millie Delaney.

THE GUIDE POST—

BY
Henry and Tertius VanDyke

INEFFECTUAL RADICALISM

Thou shalt not remove thy neighbor's landmark.—Deut. 19:14.

Is the customary, the conventional, always to be despised?

Shall a man always take the wrong side of the road only to prove himself original?

After all, the road hath but two sides, and he that taketh ever the wrong one, to show his liberal genius, is in the end as conventional a rogue as if he followed the harmless custom of the country.

Nothing is more monotonous than a habitual irregularity.

I feel and admit the extraordinary attractions of change and novelty.

No man can have more joy than I in a fresh adventure.

Somewhat too much, indeed, of the experimental and venturesome there hath always been in my temperament, leading me often into situations from which it was difficult to emerge with credit and skin unbroken.

Even now, many failures have not cured me of this fault.

But familiarity also hath its charm, and I count it good that life is impregnated with it.

The regular ways, the rules of the game, the customs of courtesy, and the common phrases of colloquial speech—these are pleasant things in their season (which is daily), and without them our existence would be wayward, rude, exhausting and far less tolerable than it is.

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FORMER DELHI DIRECTOR

Dr. C. E. Ladd Succeeds M. C. Burritt As Director of State Extension Work of State College of Agriculture.

Ithaca, June 13.—Dr. C. E. Ladd, extension professor of farm management of the New York State College of Agriculture and former head of the state schools of agriculture at Delhi and Alfred has been appointed director of extension to succeed M. C. Burritt, who has resigned to assume active management of his fruit farm at Hilton. Dr. Ladd's appointment is effective July 1.

The state college of agriculture is charged with three responsibilities in agricultural education—the teaching of students at the college, the learning of new facts through experimentation, or research, and the taking of knowledge to the men and women on the farms and in the farm homes of the state.

All three lines of activities are supervised by the dean of the college, A. R. Mann, while three directors are responsible for the different branches. Dr. Ladd is charged with the direction of the extension activities. The director of resident teaching is Dr. Cornelius Betten, while the director of research is Dr. R. W. Thatcher.

"Dr. Carl Edwin Ladd was graduated from the New York state College of Agriculture in 1912. In 1915 he received the degree of doctor of philosophy from Cornell university. From 1912 to 1915 he held appointment as instructor in the college of agriculture. From 1915 to 1917 he was director of the state school of agriculture at Delhi, in which position he served the school and its constituents most effectively.

"In 1919 he was made director of the New York state school of agriculture at Alfred university, from which position in 1921 he came to Cornell university as extension professor of farm management. In this capacity his work has been of exceptional character and success.

"Dr. Ladd was brought up on a New York state dairy farm and still retains ownership and general responsibility for the family farm at McLean."

FORMER NORMAL INSTRUCTOR

Earle W. Anibal Enters Employ of Corn Exchange Bank of New York.

His many friends in this city will be interested to learn that Earle W. Anibal, who was instructor in logic and public speaking in the Oneonta State Normal school from 1915 to 1920, and who for the past four years has been principal of the High school at Glen Ridge, N. J., has resigned that position to enter the employ of the Corn Exchange bank, one of the leading financial institutions in New York city. He begins his new duties July 1. While no particulars have been received it is understood that the position is an excellent one in the trust department.

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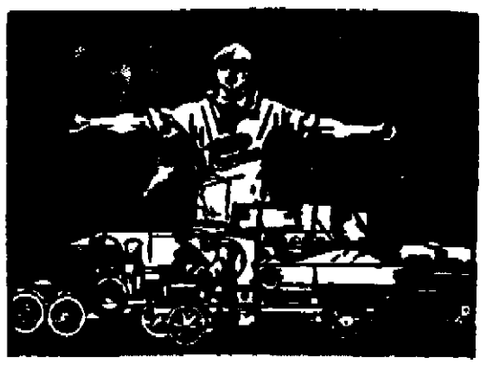

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LOCAL MENTION

—There will be a special congregational meeting at the close of the Sunday morning service at the Lutheran Church of the Atonement. There will be no evening service.

—Patrons of the Huntington Memorial library are reminded that on Saturday evenings the library remains open until 9 o'clock, instead of closing at 8 as on other days. An excellent lot of new miscellaneous books is now ready for circulation.

—Much to the disappointment of many fans the baseball game scheduled for yesterday afternoon between the Oneonta Giants and Glens Falls was postponed on account of rain. The Giants are idle today and tomorrow will play the Utica K. of C. club at Utica.

—At the regular meeting of Col. Walter Scott auxiliary, held last evening, the following ladies were elected as delegates to the convention to be held at Coney Island July 6, 7, 8 and 9: Cora Hill, Bertha Hotaling, Flora Webster; alternates, Alice Peters, Mabel Barber, Dora Wickenhoffer.

—Harold Skinner of Cooperstown and George Abell of Laurens have been enlisted in the United States army by Sergeant Harry Diener of the local recruiting station. Skinner enlisted for one year in the 7th Field Artillery and will be stationed at Madison Barracks, N. Y. Abell, who also enlisted for one year, will serve with Company K of the 28th Infantry, First Division.

—The game scheduled for yesterday afternoon at the Fair grounds between the Oneonta High school baseball team and Unadilla High school was postponed on account of rain. This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Neahwa park, O. H. S. and Hartwick Seminary will clash. Hartwick won when the teams met last week and the Yellow and White team is eager for revenge, so a hardfought game should result.

—Members of the Christian Citizenship department of the W. C. T. U. residing in the 34th Congressional district will hold a conference on Monday from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. in the town hall at Sidney. Mrs. Irene B. Taylor, state superintendent of the department, will be the principal speaker. It is expected that most of the county presidents and superintendents in the district, as well as many members, will be present. The meeting will be open to the public.

Meetings Today.

All the children of the United Presbyterian Sabbath school who are to take part in the Children's day exercises please be at the church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Bring flowers.

All children taking part in the Children's day exercises Sunday at the First Presbyterian church are requested to meet for rehearsal at the church at 2 o'clock today.

The Oneonta grange will hold its regular meeting Monday, June 16, with open lecture hour in charge of the Otego grange. Home grangers please bring cake.

The Boy Scout troop of St. James' church will meet at the fair grounds at 11 o'clock this morning.

Babbitt Stock Not Destroyed.

In the article relative to the fire in the Yagel block in The Star of yesterday it was stated that the entire stock of Charles H. Babbitt, the wall paper dealer, was practically ruined. Mr. Babbitt was not at the scene of the fire until after it was extinguished and the reporter had left. The contents of one storeroom was rendered practically worthless, but yesterday Mr. Babbitt stated that much the larger part of his stock was unharmed and he is still doing business at the old location and able to show a varied and satisfactory assortment. The Star regrets the inaccurate statement.

Beauty Parlor Change.

Effective June 17, 1924, the beauty parlor of Mrs. Edward F. Mills at 287 Main street will be managed by Mrs. E. D. Clarke of this city, while Mrs. Mills is taking a few months vacation.

Mrs. Clarke has had a wide and varied experience in this profession, having been formerly connected with Mrs. Scanlon of Binghamton and Miss Grace E. Jones in this city. She will be pleased to welcome her former patrons as well as Mrs. Mills' customers, and solicits the patronage of the general public. advt 2t

"Say, Mamma, that Royal Digesto is great stuff. I feel better already." These words were uttered by a small child who became over excited at the circus, and had nervous indigestion. Sherman sells it. advt 1t

A reward of $25 will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any person who destroys property or drives or rides on lawns in any park. Park commission, city of Oneonta. advt 2t

Notice.

I will open a shoe shop, Monday, June 16, at 11 Fair street. All kinds of shoe repair work. Open until 8 p. m. Joseph Amatucci. advt 2t

For Sale—One of the best located restaurants in the city. For full particulars call the office of the Square Deal agency, 143 Main street. advt 3t

Special boiled dinner at Glendale, Goodyear lake, tonight. Call up and we shall be pleased to tell you the entire menu. Phone 7-F24. advt 1t

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Cantaloupes are coming fine. We have a large stock of fruits and vegetables. Palmer's grocery. advt 1t

Dishwasher wanted at the Pioneer lunch. advt 6t

BOY SCOUT RALLY TODAY

All in Readiness for Celebration of Otsego-Schoharie Council to be Held Here Today.

Yesterday everything was put in readiness for the rally of the Otsego-Schoharie Boy Scout council to be held here today. The fair grounds which are to be headquarters afford an exceptionally fine place for such a gathering and large crowds as well as a large number of Scouts from throughout the council are expected.

The program of the parade was carried in The Star of yesterday, and this feature will certainly appeal to all residents of the city. The eats which are to be provided by the council, will be served in the dining hall at the Fair grounds and plenty for even the hungriest will be provided. Purity ice cream has been donated to finish off the meal.

The program at the Fair grounds will commence at 2:30 o'clock and should be finished by 5 o'clock. Following is the complete program:

Program of Rally.

10:45 a. m. Arrive at Oneonta.
11:00 a. m. Eat.
1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m. Parade through Oneonta.
2:30 p. m. Open Troop lineup. Presentation of Colors. Star Spangled Banner. Pledge to the flag. The Scout Oath and Law.
2:45—10 Horse and rider. Dep. Nesbitt.
2:55—12 Scout games demonstration. Dep. Com. Dunne.
3:07—20 Infantry Drill competition. Com. Berger.
3:27—20 Tug of War. Dep. Smith.
3:47—15 Dressing and undressing race. Com. Berger.
4:02—10 Fire by friction. Dep. Dunn.
4:12—15 Pyramid Building. Com. Berger.
4:27—10 First Aid Obstacle race. Dep. Smith.
4:37—10 Antelope race. Dep. Nesbitt.
4:47—5 Tug of War. Asst. Dep. Orcutt.
4:52—5 Axe contest. S. E. Hornbeck.
4:57—Close.

HARRY D. WHEELER INJURED

Sustains Broken Shoulder Blade and Arm When Car Turns Over Near Richfield — K. W. Goldthwaite, His Companion, Escapes Injury.

Harry D. Wheeler of this city is in the Mary Imogene Bassett hospital at Cooperstown suffering from fractures of the left shoulder blade and the right arm, between the elbow and shoulder, sustained when the Cadillac sedan owned by K. W. Goldthwaite, also of Oneonta, in which the two gentlemen were on their way to the Rideau lakes in Canada for a few days of fishing, skidded on the wet macadam and turned over into the ditch on the state road just this side of Little Lakes, near Richfield Springs, at about 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Goldthwaite escaped injury.

As the car approached the spot where the accident occurred, Mr. Wheeler, who was driving, turned to the left to pass a car which was proceeding slowly. As he swung out into the middle of the highway he perceived a car approaching from the opposite direction at a good rate of speed. Mr. Wheeler applied the brakes suddenly and the car skidded on the macadam, made very slippery by a light rainfall on its freshly oiled surface, went into the ditch and turned over.

A passing motorist carried the gentlemen to Cooperstown where Mr. Wheeler was taken to the Bassett hospital. Dr. A. W. Cutler of Oneonta motored there last evening and reduced the fractures. It is probable that Mr. Wheeler will remain at the hospital for several days. Mr. Goldthwaite, who escaped without a scratch, came home later in the evening.

The car was considerably scratched and dented and the doors and windows were broken but it was not damaged otherwise.

To Attend Rotary Convention.

A. E. Risedorph leaves this morning for Toronto, Canada, where he will represent Oneonta Rotary club at the International Rotary convention. He will be accompanied by his father, C. E. Risedorph of Grand Rapids, Mich., who has been his guest for several days. The Messrs. Risedorph returned yesterday from a motor trip to Springfield, Mass., where the younger man attended commencement functions at Springfield college, of which he is a graduate.

Sell Three Building Lots.

The Bell Land corporation, who recently purchased the Bauer Chemical company property at East End, have sold two building lots on Main street and one on Reynolds avenue to W. O. Barrett. All of these deals were handled through Ceperley & Morgan.

Put On Your Thinking Cap.

"There's something in the world besides money." Yes, there's the poor house; but husky young people, who think and get busy, needn't worry about the poorhouse, as by laying aside a mere 25 cents daily and placing it with me monthly, I'll safely roll it at six per cent compound interest and hand each of them $2000.00 in one bunch, or by keeping at it and judiciously re-investing with me, I'll hand each of them $20,000.00 when old and can't work. You can't find another safe place that will do it, and I am protected by state laws and supervision. You had better go to No. 34 Chestnut street and catch on. I'm the safe and sane Oneonta Building and Loan Association. advt 1t

Tickets for the opera Priscilla are on sale at Goldthwaite's store. The opera is presented on Tuesday evening at the Normal hall, 8:15 sharp. advt 3t

The Citizens' National Bank and Trust company pays 4 per cent in their interest department. Rent a safe deposit box in this bank. advt 1

For Sale—Strictly fresh dairy butter packed in jars for immediate or future use, 45c. Hunt & Waring, Otego, N. Y. advt 2t

If you are going to have dinner at the Glendale, Goodyear lake, Sunday, call 7-F24 and make reservations. advt 1t

Overland, model 90, overhauled and painted; good order; $150.00. Stevens Hardware company. advt 1t

Tutoring—High school or college subjects. Sterling Harrington. Phone 751-J2. advt 2t

THEY MEET SIMULTANEOUSLY

All Members of 1240 Kiwanis Clubs Join in Observance of All-Kiwanis Night—Local Club to Have Special Meeting.

Joining in with all of the 1240 Kiwanis clubs in the United States and Canada, which will meet simultaneously at the same hour, the Kiwanis club of Oneonta will hold a special meeting on "All Kiwanis Night," June 16, at 9 p. m., at the Oneonta club. At this time the opening session of the Eighth Annual International Kiwanis convention will be held in Denver, Colorado.

All of the clubs of the continent will arrange their meetings in accordance with differences in time, so that all will join in on the same kind of a program on the same evening.

The feature of this "All Kiwanis Night" meeting is the "Zero Hour," a fifteen minute period, when all clubs will simultaneously observe exactly the same program. This feature will consist of a "Fellowship Moment of Silence," when all clubs on the continent and the assembled thousands of delegates and visitors at the Convention will be synchronized with each other, a message from Edmund F. Arras, president of the Kiwanis Club International, patriotic songs of the United States and Canada, and a fellowship song, "Onward in Kiwania," written by George S. Holmes, president of the Kiwanis club of Denver.

This is the first time in the history of Kiwania, or any similar organization as far as is known, that such a simultaneous meeting has ever been arranged. It is one of the most outstanding examples of unified action that the country has known, and is especialaly unique because it brings 88,000 Kiwanians in over 1200 cities together in united fellowship at precisely the same time.

A number of radio stations throughout the country will broadcast programs consisting of special musical numbers and a message from President Arras.

A message from F. C. Huntington, who is a delegate from the Kiwanis club of Oneonta to the Denver convention will also be read. Program will include songs by the Kiwanis quartet. Kiwanian Brigham will have a radio in operation for the benefit of the members. Light refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

Much interest is attached to this meeting because it will demonstrate the national significance of a voluntary service organization such as Kiwanis in the progress of over twelve hundred communities, and will suggest the possibilities of unified action.

ELKS' FLAG DAY SERVICE

Public Cordially Invited to Attend Interesting Ceremonies at Elks' Home This Evening.

By regulation of the Grand lodge every lodge of Elks in the country will hold th sievening a Flag day service. The organization is essentially a patriotic one and the annual Flag day observance is one of the high spots of the year's work.

Oneonta lodge has been engaged for weeks in preparation for its observance, to be held at the Elks' home from 8 to 9 o'clock this evening. The service will be open to the public and it expected that there will be a large

The program for the evening follows:

Star Spangled Banner. Elks' Glee Club.
Introductory Exercises. Exalted Ruler and officers.
Prayer. Chaplain Judge.
History of the Flag. Dr. George J. Dann.
Song—Columbia the Gem of the Ocean. Audience.
Altar service. Esquire and officers.
Song—Auld Lang Syne. Officers and members.
Music—Selections. Elks' Glee Club.
Patriotic address. Rev. J. A. Judge.
Song—America. Audience.

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3 cans Corn, 35c.
New Potatoes, 5 lbs. 25c.
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New & True 3-Minute Oats coupons redeemed at Kellam's. One pound New & True coffee and one large (or 3 small) packages of New & True 3-Minute Oats with coupon for 47c. Phone 1228. advt 1t

Saturday Specials.

Beefsteak, 25 cents a pound.
Stew beef, 15 cents.
Boneless corned beef, 40 cents a pound.
Pork loin, 25 cents a pound.
Hamburg, 20 cents.
Sausage, 25 cents.
Delaware county potatoes, 40 cents a bushel.
New potatoes, 60 cents a peck.
Butter beans, 2 pounds, 29 cents.
Radishes, 3 bunches, 10 cents.
Fancy cucumbers, 35 cents dozen.
Home lettuce, 3 heads, 25 cents.
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New potatoes, 57c peck.
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Cantaloupe, two for 25c.
Ten cans corn, 99c.
Ten cans beans, 99c.
Nine cans milk, 99c.
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Five cans Golden Bantam corn, 99c.
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Oyster or soda crackers, 12c pound.
Lettuce, radishes, green onions, cucumbers, and new cabbage.
We deliver Saturdays.
Phone 617-M. 33 River street.

Gardner's Grocery.

Real butter, 45c lb.; fresh eggs, 28c dozen; White House coffee, 45c lb.; Eagle condensed milk, 20c; pink salmon, 15c; sugar, 7½c; codfish cakes, 15c can. Baker's vanilla, 35c bottle. Wheatena, 32c; rinso, large, 23c. Head lettuce, asparagus, string beans, celery hearts, melons, radishes, peas, strawberries. advt 1t

Special for Sunday.

French vanilla cream. Open from twelve to two and five to nine. Griffin's store, 66 Church street. advt 1t

AFTER THE FIRE

Losses in Main Street Conflagration Estimated at $7,000, All Covered by Insurance—Rote Store Closed.

The losses in the fire of early Friday morning in the Yagel block on Main street as estimated yesterday by the parties concerned, approximate $7,000, a sum considerably less than that which was at first thought. Both the stores of Louis Yagel and that of Charles Babbitt were open yesterday, conducting business as usual, but the store of Rote & Rote, in which the most damage was done, remained closed and perhaps will not open until the last of next week.

The loss of Mr. Babbitt, who conducts a wall paper and paint store, was considerably less than at first feared, his damage being confined to stored stock, his regular supply remaining unharmed. He was able to do business as usual yesterday and unless the demand be unprecedented new stocks can be secured to care for his patronage.

Mr. Yagel found yesterday that none of his stock had been damaged, his prompt efforts in airing out his rooms taking out any trace of smoke, which was the only possible loss.

Mr. Rote, however, found a different story when looking over his stock, chemicals and water ruining practically all of his dresses and affecting a large part of his most expensive articles. While little headway was made yesterday in inventorying his stock, still it seemed that the loss would reach $3,000.

The loss to the building, which was considerably damaged in a conflagration of seven years ago, will probably be nearly $1,500.

Little damage is reported by those having living apartments in the building, a good airing removing almost all traces of the smoke which it was feared might result in partial damage.

COMMENCEMENT SUNDAY

Pastor of Madison Avenue Reformed Church, Albany, Preaches to Normal Graduating Class.

The baccalaureate services in connection with commencement week at the Oneonta State Normal school will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium. The sermon will be given by Rev. Richard Earle Locke, D. D., who is pastor of the Madison Avenue Reformed church and a leading clergyman of the city of Albany.—The services will begin promptly at the hour named and a cordial invitation is extended to all citizens who desire to attend. The following is the order of service:

Processional—Light of the World, We Hail Thee (Watson.)
Scripture reading. Rev. L. Curtis Denney.
Solo—Jersualem, Thou That Killest the Prophets. (From Mendelssohn's St. Paul). Miss Greene.
Prayer. Rev. James C. Russell, D. D.
School chorus—How Lovely Are the Messengers. (From Mendelssohn's St. Paul).
Sermon. Rev. Richard Earl Locke, D. D. Madison Avenue Reformed church, Albany.
Hymn—O Paradise. (Barnby).
Benediction.
Recessional—O God, Beneath Thy Guiding Hand. (Hatton).

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Fancy Strip Bacon, Per lb. ..... 25¢

Star Brand Sweet Mixed Pickles, 2 bottles .. 25¢

Lifebuoy Health Soap, per cake ..... 7¢

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LADY ANN AT ST. JAMES'

Members of St. James' Guild Hear Address by Noted Armenian Worker at Parish House.

In the parish house of St. James Episcopal church yesterday afternoon from 4 until 5 o'clock Lady Ann Azgapetian claimed an audience of about forty women of St. James' guild to whom she spoke in a most forceful and compelling manner, taking as the subject of her discourse something of the history of Armenia, its part in the world war and her own war experiences.

Lady Ann stated that Armenia is not only historically one of the oldest Christian nations, but is, moreover, one of the best, a point that she proved by saying that although Armenians have faced every known terror, they have through one hundred and thirty-four generations remained true to their faith.

She pointed out that this nation, one of the first to be claimed by Christianity and civilization, is today, politically speaking, extinct. The condition has been brought about by the clause in the treaty of Lausanne dealing with the exchange of population, the enforcement of which has left the Armenians homeless. The treaty has not been ratified by congress and Lady Ann pled with the women of her audience to do their part in preventing its ratification. She asked this in behalf of that little group of Armenians still living around the foot of Mount Ararat, in the hope that some nation may come to their aid in regaining the homeland.

Lady Ann then related in that vivid manner possible only to a person speaking from actual experience, some of the incidents of her life in the war zone; of her escape across the desert in an ambulance, the war contribution of some unknown English shoe makers; of her life as one of the first four Red Cross nurses of her country and of the ten months that she spent in Russia, existing upon only six ounces of black bread a day.

At the close of her address Lady Ann exhibited some handsome luncheon sets made by Armenian lace workers, together with a collection of Armenian jewelry including bracelets, necklaces and rings, all exquisitely fragile and made as someone has described it of "silver draped like silk."

Tea was served in the parish house by the ladies of the guild.

Death of Mrs. Cora Woodcock.

Mrs. Cora Woodcock, widow of Calvin Woodcock, died on June 11 between midnight and one o'clock a. m. at the age of 49 years. She had spent most of her life in Otego, but for the past six months had been at the home of her son, Jesse Woodcock of 13 Makley avenue, Oneonta. The cause of her death was cancer of the stomach. Surviving relatives are two sons, Jesse and Alton Woodcock, and a daughter, Mrs. Perry Haynes. The funeral will be today at 2 o'clock at the home of her son, Jesse Woodcock.

St. Anthony's Day Party.

Anthony Pondolfino was given a surprise party at his home at 34 West Broadway in honor of the day, it being the festive day of his patron saint, St. Anthony. About 125 were in attendance and a most excellent time was had by all. Refreshments were served.

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Veal Steak	32c	lb.
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Veal Roasts	20c to 25c	lb.
Breast Veal	15c	lb.
Stew Veal	18c and 20c	lb.

PORK

Pork Steak	32c	lb.
Pork Chops	30c	lb.
Pork Loin Roast	30c	lb.
Picnic Hams	18c	lb.
Regular Hams	30c	lb.
Hams, sliced by machine	38c	lb.
Whole Island Chickens, 5 to 9 lbs. each	30c	lb.

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FUNERAL OF L. F. PEET TODAY

Services for Victim of Thursday's Tragic Accident to be Held at Hyde Park.

The funeral services for the late Louis Fenimore Peet, account of whose tragic death, appeared in The Star of yesterday, will be held at 2 p. m. today at the Methodist Episcopal church at Hyde Park, Rev. J. C. Johnson of East Worcester, a warm personal friend of the deceased, will officiate, and burial will be in the Hartwick Seminary cemetery.

The deceased was born in Milford November 3, 1894, and was a son of Fenimore and Stella (Williams) Peet. Most of his early life was spent in Cooperstown, but he came about six years ago to Oneonta, where he was for a considerable time employed by the Oneonta Ice and Fuel company, but since October last he had been in the services of the Delaware and Hudson company.

The surviving members of his family are his wife, formerly Miss Mazie Fawcett, to whom he was married December 24, 1919, by his father, one sister, Mrs. Walter Smith, of Cooperstown, and one brother, Leo Peet, also of that village. Other relatives are two uncles, Louis Williams of Norwich, and Frank Williams of Liverpool; and by two aunts, Mrs. George W. Ellis of Oneonta, and Mrs. Ada Gage of Richfield Springs; also several nephews and nieces.

Mr. Peet was a young man of fine character and good attainments, a good husband and son and in every respect a worthy citizen. His death will be deeply lamented and heartfelt sympathy will be extended to the wife so suddenly and greatly lamented.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Thirty-Five Charter Members Secured for Sergeant Elbert N. Patton Post Here.

An Otsego county post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is being organized under the leadership of Dr. William F. Brady of this city and already 35 charter members have been enrolled. It has been decided to call the post the Sergeant Elbert N. Patton post and the charter will remain open for a short time longer to enable all who wish to make application for membership to do so. They should be addressed to Dr. Brady at 143 Main street, this city.

The Sergeant Elbert N. Patton post, No. 1206, named after one of the popular members of Co. G of this city, who gave his life in France during the late war, is to be a county organization. The Veterans of Foreign Wars was organized by the amalgamation of the Army of the Philippines, American Veterans of Foreign Service, and the Army of the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico in September of 1914.

Following are the regulations for active membership: "Any officer or any honorably discharged officer (including contract or acting assistant surgeon, dental surgeon or veterinary surgeon), or enlisted man who has served or may serve in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States of America, in any foreign war, insurrection, or expedition (which service shall be governed by the issuance of a campaign badge by the government of the United States of America) as the by-laws may provide shall be eligible to active membership."

DEATH OF MRS. HYNES.

Oneonta Relatives Receive Word of Death of Former Oneonian.

Relatives in this city have received intelligence of the death of Mrs. Ellen Hynes, widow of Patrick Hynes, a former resident of Oneonta, at her home in New York city. John J. Kirwan, Mrs. W. I. LaBeau, Miss Katherine Fallon, and other relatives of this city will attend the funeral which is to be held this morning.

Surviving Mrs. Hynes are three daughters, Sister Helen Patrick of St. Joseph's seminary, Troy, and Mrs. H. Dean and Mrs. Charles Gillapie of Albany; Mrs. J. J. Kirwan, Mrs. Cecelia Fallon, and Mrs. W. I. LaBeau of this city, and John F. Hynes of New York city are step children.

Mrs. Hynes had a host of friends in this city, to which she was a frequent visitor, who will mourn her death and join with other friends in expressions of sympathy to the family.

Mrs. Piscus Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. M. L. Piscus of 1 Walnut street underwent an operation for the relief of appendicitis at the Fox Memorial hospital yesterday. The operation, which was performed by Dr. A. W. Cutler, was entirely successful and she was reported as resting comfortably last evening.

Special Service at Elm Park.

There will be a special service at the Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the baptism of children.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAMS

Programs to be Given in Four of the City Churches Sunday Morning by Sunday School Departments.

Children's Day programs are to be presented in four of the city churches on Sunday morning by the Sunday school departments which promise to prove highly enjoyable and instructive. The programs will be given at 10:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian, United Presbyterian, and Elm Park Methodist churches, and at 11 o'clock at the River Street Baptist church.

Following are the programs:

First Presbyterian Program.

Song, School.
Prayer, Dr. J. C. Russell.
A Welcome, Stewart Sherwood.
Greetings, Beverly Harlow, Dorothy Pomgardt.
Greeting, Thursa Ackart.
Song—Grasshopper Green, Kindergarten class.
Recitation — The Flowers, John Mitchell.
Recitation—Hurrying Through, Elizabeth Gurney.
Exercise—The Family, Arthur Seybolt, Jr., Norman German, Jr., Donald Clark, Bobbie Hobbs.
Recitation—A Daisy Greeting, Emily Mitchell.
Song—Shining, Blooming, Kindergarten class.
Exercise—The Sunflower, Ruth Ernest, Jean McClelland, Francis Hunt.
Recitation—A Happy Children's Day, Jean Ingerham.
Baptism of infants.
Offering.
Solo, Eloise McKean.
Recitation, Billy Redford.
Recitation, Barbara Lane.
Violin solo, Esther Steere.
Recitation, Jean Seybolt.
Recitation, John Frisbee.
Recitation, Betty Hume.
Song, School.
Recitation, Billy Chambers.
Recitation, Jeanette Stevens.
Duet, Virginia Colburn, Eloise McKean.
Recitation, Leal Ryndes.
Recitation, William Taggart.
Address, Dr. J. C. Russell.
Song — "The Busy Buzzing Bee," Primary boys.
Recitation — "Some One Said," Harriet Jones.
"Cherry Buttercups," Alice and Alba Cope.
"Nature Gives in Her Own Way," Six girls.
Solo — "Good is Good," Leona Smith.
"Wanted, A Boy," Harold Cole.
Exercise — "Rose Buds," Five primary girls.
Choir—"His Loyal Army."

Elm Park Methodist Church.

Song—"Glad Junetide is Here," Choir
Scripture, Prayer.
"A Boy Like Me," Billy Blake.
Song — "Smile, Smile, Smile," Junior girls.
"Be a Helper True," Erma Smith.
Exercise—"Five Little Daisies," Primary girls.
Recitation — "Smile a Little Bit," Thelma Otto.
Recitation — "Anchor Here," Billy Dodge.
Recitation — "Told by the Pansies," Jane Sexton.
Song and exercise — "Roses Fair," Junior Girls.
"The Frown and the Pout," Martha Borden.
"Seven Pennies," Harriet Welmer.
Song — "Praise the Lord," Girls class.
Recitation, Ella Rose VanTassil.
"Helping Mother," Barbara Jones.
Song by choir—"God Reigns."
"Hearts of Gold," Agnes St. John.
Song — "Little Sunbeams," Primary children.
Recitation and drill, Junior girls.
Song — "Love is Like Sunshine," Agnes St. John, Thelma Dean, Edith Sexton.
Children's day offering.
Song by choir—"With the Voice of Praise."

United Presbyterian Program.

The Children's day exercises of the United Presbyterian church will be held at 10:30 a. m. All members of the Cradle roll are especially invited.

Processional — The Happy Way, School.
Recitation—Greetings, Jane Westcott.
Recitation—This Day is Ours, Rosamond Knapp.
Exercise—A Boy's Thoughts, Kenneth Chase, John Putnam, Barton Wiliams.
Recitation, Anna Hoffman.
Song, They Little Children, School.
Recitation — With Garlands Fair, Alice Cummings.
Presentation of flowers to the Cradle roll.
Recitation, Carlton Swartz.
Exercise—Little Children, Donald Campfield, Mary Skinner.
Recitation—The Reason, Lloyd Jones.
Song—Open Wide the Gates of Summer, Intermediate girls.
Recitation—A Hard Task, Legrand Cummings.
Recitation, Grant Wood.
Exercise—Beautiful Gifts, Beatrice Haskins, Elizabeth Westcott, Marian Cummings.
Piano duet, Alice Cummings, Alice Beers.
[illegible] Make Your Own Place, Herbert Downie.
Recitation—Message of the Daisies, Venona Luquer.
Recitation—God Loves Me, Joan Shaw.
Recitation—I Can Work for Jesus, William Swartfigure.
Exercise—Children's Day Our Day, John Shaw, Phoebe Harrington, Lloyd Jones, Mary Newkirk.
Song—O How Glad Are Thee, Primary and Intermediate.
Recitations—Lambs of the Flock, Genevieve Luquer, Edith Beers.
Recitation—Forget Me Not, Richard Campfield.
Recitation—Children Are Like Sunshine, Kenneth Beams.
Recitation—All Things Bright and Beautiful, Lulu Beers.
Recitation—On Children's Day, Juanita Knapp.
Song—Quartet.
Recitation — Tom and I, Pauline Fancher.
Recitation—If Every Day Were Children's Day, Gordon Haskins.
Recitation—The Children's Friend, Homer Shaw.
Recitation — Little Things, Alice Beers.
Collection.
Announcements and short talk by pastor.
Song, Sheet of Thy Love.

River Street Baptist Church.

The service at the River Street Baptist church will be held at 11 o'clock. The program is composed of [illegible]
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Opening song, School.
Invocation, Rev. N. S. Burd.
Song, School.
Scripture reading.
Song, School.
Recitation—Let's Keep Jubilee, Miss Ruth Gassler.
Song, School.
Exercise—This is the Day, Class of girls.
Song, Misses Mable Horton, Beatrice Sumner, Irene Decker, Eleanor Hughes, Lillian Pride, Herbert Miller and Paul Russell.
Exercise—A Flower Welcome, Ten boys and girls.
Song, School.
Acrostic—Forward, Seven boys.
Primary song—All the Pretty Flowers.
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God Made Roses.
Anthem, Choir.
Song, Class of Miss Mildred Horton.
Solo, Miss Daisy Horton.
Recitation—Advice, Charles Thomas.
Short address, Rev. N. S. Burd.
Closing song—Crowned with Power and Majesty.
Benediction.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roberts of Bloomville were callers in the city yesterday.

Leslie Hetherington of East Meredith was a business visitor in Oneonta yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Shaw and Mrs. Katherine Keim of this city spent Friday with Albany friends.

Mrs. Ralph W. Murdock leaves this morning for Ogdensburg, where she will visit her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Alberti of 16 Draper street are spending a few days with friends at Grand Gorge and Prattsville.

Miss Eloise Augustin left yesterday afternoon for a few days' visit in New York city. She will probably return Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Baker of Springville are guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Baker, South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Aunger of Mt. Vision left yesterday for a week-end visit with the latter's brother, B. W. Bird, in Binghamton.

Mrs. Delos VanWoert and Mrs. James Kent of Philadelphia, Pa., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Chase of 35 Cedar street.

Mrs. Josephine Bowen of 91 Center street, this city, left yesterday for Schenectady, where she will spend a few days with her son, Dr. C. A. MacMinn and family.

Miss Cora Remington and Miss Dora Derrin of Syracuse and Miss Florence Smith of Nineveh will spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Farnham at 42 Grove street.

Mrs. Philip Posener of New York city, who had been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Noxon, of 41 Maple street, departed for home Friday morning.

Mrs. Althea Ryder of Worcester was in Oneonta yesterday on her way home from Delhi, where she had been spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Cavan.

Mrs. Alida Saxton and daughter, Miss Lula Saxton, of Albany, arrived in Oneonta yesterday and are stopping for a few days with Mrs. R. S. Baldwin of 11 Eighth street.

Mrs. Josephine Favreau of Binghamton was in Oneonta yesterday on her way to Cooperstown to visit her son, Herbert. Mrs. Favreau was formerly a resident of this city.

G. W. Rowell and wife, Chas. Morrison, and Commander Brown have returned from Schenectady after spending three days at the State G. A. R. Encampment. All reported a fine time.

Prof. Arthur M. Curtis of the Oneonta State Normal school left yesterday for Ithaca, where he will be a guest over Sunday of his brother. Today he will attend the annual reunion of his class in Cornell university.

Robert Briggs has finished the work of his second year at the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania, and is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe C. Briggs, for the summer.

Miss Ethel Davis is spending a month's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Short, at West street, following her graduation from the State hospital at Binghamton. Miss Davis is now a graduate nurse.

Miss Ruth Meigs, who graduated from Syracuse university on June 9, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the commencement exercises, has returned to spend the summer with her parents and grandparents in this city.

Frank B. Cooke of Albany, formerly of Otego, was in Oneonta yesterday on his way home for the week-end. Mr. Cooke, who represents the State Tax department, is now employed in Delaware county, where he expects to remain about a month longer to complete his work.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Farley and Henry Saunders left yesterday afternoon by auto for Hamilton to attend Colgate University exercises. Both Dr. Farley and Mr. Saunders are members of the Education society and have important business in connection with the Theological seminary. They expect to return Monday night.

Allyn Palmer Niles arrived home yesterday morning on the sleeper from Troy, where he had been visiting his roommate, Paul Douglass, at the home of his parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. George Douglas, at 183 Pauling avenue. Allyn, who has completed his sophomore year at Wesleyan university, will spend a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Niles, at 369 Main street, before going to Sunset Park inn at Haines Falls, where he will be employed for the summer.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our loved one, also those who sent flowers and furnished cars.

Mrs. Charles F. Tucker,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Tilyou,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tilyou.

To Attend Class Reunion.

Manager Roy Thomas of the Oneonta baseball team left yesterday for Philadelphia to attend a class reunion at the University of Pennsylvania, of which he is a graduate.

For sale—Stutz touring car, 1917 model. Wire wheels. Inquire H. E. Tucker, Oneonta Optical company. adv. 6t.

DEATH OF LEON J. POTTER

Well Known Stock Breeder Takes Own Life Last Evening at Home on Oneonta Plains.

Leon J. Potter, one of the most widely known and most successful farmers in Otsego county, died at his home on the Oneonta Plains, near the Country club, at about 6:30 o'clock last evening, death resulting from a self-inflicted wound in the throat, made with a razor.

Mr. Potter had not been in good health for some time and lately it had been noted that he was frequently afflicted with melancholia and was subject to hallucinations. It is thought that worry concerning his condition unbalanced his mind and caused him to commit the rash act.

Leon J. Potter was born at Lena on January 22, 1870, and was the son of Delos and Watie (Johnson) Potter. On June 1, 1893, he was united in marriage to Tina Rathbun. All of his life was spent at Lena until 1905 when he moved to his late home on the Plains.

Surviving him are the wife; one sister, Mrs. Amelia Gregory; a brother, Frank D. Potter of West Oneonta; a niece, Miss Agnes Potter of West Oneonta, and three nephews, Harold Gregory, who has made his home with his uncle and aunt for several years, Ralph Gregory, now in China for the Standard Oil company, and Emory I. Gregory, a veterinary surgeon living at Whitney Point.

Mr. Potter was one of the most successful farmers in this vicinity. For years he had specialized in the breeding of Holstein cattle and his herd of thoroughbreds was one of the best in the county. He was a members of the Oneonta grange and of the Farm Bureau and was active in both organizations, giving freely of his time and energy in helping farmers not so conversant with the best agricultural methods as himself.

No resident of the Plains was better known or better liked than Mr. Potter. An upright, conscientious, God-fearing man, he was beloved by all his intimate friends and admired and respected by all who knew him.

The funeral will be held from his late home at 1:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon with Rev. Wilbur C. Dodge of the Elm Park Methodist church officiating. Interment will be made in the Plains cemetery.

Deliveries of International Trucks.

W. J. Roney has recently made deliveries of three International trucks, for which he is the vicinity agent.

Two three-ton trucks of model 63 have been delivered to A. Potter of Unadilla, bringing the total number of International trucks in his fleet to eight.

C. J. Kane of Walton has also received delivery of a three-ton truck of the same make and type.

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Starting this morning we will give one of these Tickets FREE to each customer purchasing $1.00 or more worth of merchandise. Only one ticket to a customer.

FATHERS' DAY
Sunday, June 15

FATHER

Who is it wears the patch work hose
And seldom goes to picture shows,
That his girl may have fine clothes,
It's Father!!
Who is it wears last summer's hat
That his boy may be a sporty brat,
And thinks it's quite all right at that,
It's Father!!
Who is it buys the bread and meat
Who keeps the shoes on all our feet
And then gets shoved in a back seat,
It's Father!!
We've Mothers' Day and Poppy Day
And lots of other holidays,
But almost all are Labor Days,
For Father!!
Get out his slippers and easy chair
Caress and smooth his rumpled hair
And let him know you're glad he's here—
Your Father!!
Today wear a flower red
(A white one if the dear soul's dead)
And reverently bow your head
In thanks for such
A Father!!

SPECIALS FOR FATHERS' DAY

GIFTS THAT WILL PLEASE DEAR OLD DAD

Hose, 50c and 59c pair; 2 pairs for $1.00; 75c and $1.00 a pair.
Paris Garters from .. 29c to 75c
Ties of all descriptions, from the old fashioned Teck Ties to the latest in Four-in-Hand.
Suspenders of all kinds.
White Handkerchiefs 5c, 6 for 25c: 25c each and 35c, 3 for $1.00.
Linen Handkerchiefs from 25c up to $1.00.
Arrow Shirts $1.50
Silk Stripe Shirts; $2.00 value, at $1.00
English Broadcloth at, each . $1.98

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WELLES SELLS U. S. POLICY

BY BOB DOSMAN
NEA Service Staff Writer.
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Tencontin, Honduras, May 16. — Sumner Welles has an interesting job. He is Uncle Sam's traveling salesman—his line, the policy of the United States toward those countries lying between North and South America.

That policy he outlines as follows:

"The encouragement of government by constitutional and orderly methods, with the recognition in each case of the absolute freedom of each region to determine its own destinies, the form of government under which it exists, and the person or persons who are to guide the destinies of that country.

"To aid in carrying out that policy by lending moral support and recognition to every constitutional government."

To aid in carrying out that policy he came to Honduras from Santo Domingo.

He traveled 200 miles across mountains and rivers; he used railroads, launches, autos and mules.

He found the blues besieging Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, the last stronghold of the reds.

He found discord and disagreement already existing among the blues; only awaiting the final fall of the city to flare into open war.

It was his task not only to heal that breach, but to arrange some settlement that would keep the reds from plotting another revolution; and to secure some government that the United States could recognize.

He took up his quarters in the American legation in Tegucigalpa.

He held daily conferences with the leaders of both sides, trying to arrange some settlement.

This required daily trips between the lines of the warring factions.

Theoretically firing ceased when his auto passed through the lines.

But always, as soon as the auto of the Americans had passed into the no-man's land between the trenches, the reds would open fire, their bullets passing just over the heads of the party.

Should the blues have returned the fire, the reds would have immediately opened up with all their guns, and, on the plea of battle, would have tried to excuse any injury to the Americans.

Fortunately the blues kept their agreement better than the reds.

SUMNER WELLES, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF PRESIDENT COOLIDGE (INSET), CONFERRING (ABOVE) WITH THE REBEL LEADERS OF THE HONDURANEAN FORCES. BELOW: UNITED STATES MINISTER FRANK MORALES AND HIS WIFE.

Despite this danger, and the more petty annoyance of tropical heat and clouds of mosquitoes and fleas, Mr. Welles carried on his work, and the daily conferences were held, which will determine whether or not constitutional government is to reign in Honduras.

church, will conduct the morning service at 10:30 Sunday morning.—Sermon subject: "The Higher Vision." He will also continue his interesting and profitable address to the children. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Epworth league service at 6:45 p. m. In the evening a union service will be held in the Presbyterian church at which Rev. Hannum will deliver the sermon on "Signs." — Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 Sunday morning in St. Peter's Episcopal church. Church school at 11.45. Even song and address at 7:30 p. m.—Rev. and Mrs. Oscar H. Lockett of West Fulton are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pogue. —Miss Elizabeth MacNaught returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Kingston. — Miss Mary Reed, who is in training as a nurse at the Methodist Episcopal hospital in Brooklyn, returned to resume her duties after a two weeks' vacation spent at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Reed.—Mrs. Jennie Kiff left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Margaretville and Kingston. —Mrs. L. J. Woodworth entertained a few ladies at a supper party Wednesday evening. Covers were laid for eight.

NEWS FROM DAVENPORT.

Davenport, June 13.—Mrs. Richard Shellman left yesterday for Clinton to attend the exercises at Hamilton college, where her son, Alexander, will graduate. — D. A. Trinkino of Milford, a real estate agent, has bought of F. E. Golden one of his houses in this village. This house is a large three-family house with two acres of land, is pleasantly located on Main street and is in good condition. Mr. Trinkino buys as an investment.

WEAK, RUN DOWN AFTER SICKNESS

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Mrs. Dube Well and Strong

E. Hartford, Conn.—"After a severe sickness I was so weak that I could not do my housework, so my mother told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The first bottle helped me so much that I took six more bottles and felt fine. I have just given birth to a nice baby girl and am feeling strong and well. So different from the way I felt before. I am taking the Vegetable Compound right along while nursing. The baby seems to be in good health, and my friends say they see a big change for the better in me."—Mrs. Eugene Dube, 59 Woodbridge Street, East Hartford, Connecticut.

The Vegetable Compound is a splendid medicine to bring back health and strength. Many mothers have found this true, as did Mrs. Dube. Ask some of your neighbors and friends, for there are women everywhere who know by experience the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts, for a free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women."

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the trip well and is now gaining, which his many friends will be glad to know.

Children's Day.

The Children's day exercises will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church this Sunday.

Commencement.

School closed Thursday for the grade children. The teachers are busy getting ready for commencement.

A SUCCESSFUL SUPPER.

Ladies' Aid Society of Portlandville Nets Handsome Sum.

Portlandville, June 12. — The receipts of the Ladies' Aid society supper, held Wednesday evening, were about $35. The thanks of those who aided in any way to make it successful are extended.

At Camp Sunshine.

W. D. Butler and wife, and son, Stewart, of Oneonta were at their camp Wednesday night and launched their boat preparatory to making the camp their home for the summer. Portlandville people will be glad to welcome them to the summer colony.

Ignoring Warning Signs.

Although new speed limit and danger signs have been posted at several places between Milford Center and the L. Gurney place, there are many who appear to ignore the cautionary signals, running even faster than before. It is believed that arrests may soon be made by local and state officials.

Those Who Are Ill.

Mrs. S. K. Huggins does not seem to improve and is a great sufferer. Neighbors and friends will wish for her a more comfortable condition and many days of life free from exhausting attacks of pain.

S. C. Tate, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be improving.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Tasman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robertson were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barney. — Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dimbleby and son of Utica were guests of Mrs. Dimbleby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barney, on Sunday.—G. B. Parish of Oneonta spent Tuesday with his friend, W. L. Wellman.—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Packer were recent guests of their son, Leo and family, at Schenevus.—Mr. and Mrs. Orlo St. John and son, Donald, of Oneonta, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wellman.

Child of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Johnson.

West Laurens, June 13. — Elmer Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Johnson, was born August 29, 1923, at West Laurens. He died this morning at about 4 o'clock after an illness of about five weeks of a complication of diseases. The funeral will be held Sunday at 1 o'clock at the Presbyterian church in Gloversville, the Rev. William Spicer, officiating. Interment will be in Gloversville. The surviving relatives are the parents above mentioned, two sisters, Laura and Gladys, and one brother, Roger, also the grandparents who live in Gloversville.

The Ontario Biscuit company will have a large display of cakes at Van-Buren's grocery Saturday, June 14. Samples of these high quality cakes will be given free to each customer, in this demonstration. Don't forget the large pound Golden Graham in the family package. advt 2t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Clem, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Mary A. Mitt, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executrix of the estate, of the said deceased, at the office of Henry D. McLaury, Esq., 11 Spring street, city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 15th day of August next.

Dated January 17, 1924.

MARY MITT HOTT,
Executrix.

Henry D. McLaury, Esq.,
11 Spring street, Oneonta, N. Y.,
Attorney for executrix.

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Dated April 29, 1924.

Anna J. Frost,
Executrix.

Frank C. Huntington,
Attorney for executrix,
Oneonta, New York.

ENCAMPMENT CITY TO BE NAMED LATER

G. A. R. Closes Session—Sons of Veterans and Auxiliary Name Officers

Schenectady, June 13.—Jamestown and Saratoga Springs appeared to be leading rivals for the scene of the 1925 encampment when New York department, Grand Army of the Republic, decided to refer selection of the city to the executive committee and adjourn its 1924 encampment here yesterday.

Business matters cleared, the veterans were taken for a short motor tour as guests of the city and then left for their homes.

A. J. Abbott of Oneida was elected division commander of the Sons of Veterans and Millie Fowley of Peekskill was elected president of the Sons of Veterans' auxiliary at elections today.

Other officers elected by the Sons of Veterans are: Senior vice commander, Walter Bielsby, Rochester, junior vice commander, W. A. Rooney, Brooklyn; chaplain, Rev. G. A. Shaw, Buffalo; patriotic instructor W. K. Bailey, Green Island; treasurer, C. R. Sanford, Albany.

Other officers elected by the auxiliary are: Vice president, Mary McCo[illegible] Herkimer; treasurer, Margaret E. Moore, Penn Yan; chaplain, Cora Tuller, Batavia; and inspector, Sarah Dutton, Rochester.

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Women of Oneonta are cordially invited to a demonstration of the products of the Ontario Biscuit company to be held Saturday at the VanBuren Grocery, River street. Carnations and samples will be given to each visitor.

Some of our specialties—

Cherry Buds	Fig Dips
Cherry Sundaes	Santea Bar
Nut Sundaes	Chocolate - Pineapple
Fig Creams	Dainty Wafers

Don't forget the Golden Graham Crackers in the one pound family package.

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Delaware County News

DELHI STATE SCHOOL NOTES

Teachers' Training Course Commencement Monday Afternoon, June 23.

Delhi, June 13. — The third annual commencement of the Teachers' Training course will be held at the Domestic Science building at 2:00, June 23. Superintendent Robert M. McNaught of Windham will be the speaker. A good address and good music is assured. The public is invited to attend.

The annual alumni meeting of the State School of Agriculture at Delhi will be held at the Domestic Science building, June 23, at 11 a. m. This will be followed by the alumni picnic in the grove, preceding the commencement exercises. The Alumni association now has about 70 members. An important business meeting will be held and all graduates of the school are urged to attend.

The experimental fields in cauliflower are being set on the school farm this week.

Director DuBois was in New York last wek to consult regarding the farm boys' camp which may be held at the school during July and August.

Strong Endorsement of School.

A recent request for a frank expression from the parents of students regarding the influence of the school upon the boys has brought several interesting answers. The following is an illustration:

Dear Mr. Dubois:

I am glad to say that my son has come home with ideas about care and feeding of dairy cattle and the raising of crops that it has taken me 25 years to find out by experience. He has put our cows on test and is finding out some rather startling facts that will mean some culling before the year is out.

About the first thing he wanted to know when he got home was about the grain ration. I was not feeding any of it because I thought it too high in price. But he said we should feed some so we added a little wheat meal to the ration we were already feeding and fed enough less so the cost was no more than before, with the result that we had an increase in milk of 5 or 8 per cent.

I very much doubt if the boy would have stayed with the farm if it had not been for the agricultural school. I think it very unwise for any young person to attempt any line of work without some special training if it is possible for them to have it.

TOPICS IN TREADWELL.

Matters of Interest Discussed at Meeting of Sunday School Board.

Treadwell, June 13. — At a meeting of the Sunday School board, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Benedict, West Meredith, Wednesday evening, plans were made for the advancement and promotion of the Sunday school, especially in the intermediate and primary departments; also for a picnic to be held in August and a social in the near future.

Quarterly Conference.

Dr. Trinton, conducted the first quarterly conference in the church Tuesday afternon, and the same day the Ladies' Aid held a very enjoyable meeting in the church and several new names were added to their membership roll.

Pageant and Songs.

The pageant and songs by the children at the exercises Sunday evening were greatly enjoyed and the different parts were exceedingly well rendered.

Ball Team Defeated.

The members here of the Oneout ball team played at South Kortright Monday and were defeated by the local team there. The score was 11 to 2.

Local and Personal.

Edward Bronson of Syracuse spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. H. McMurray.—Mr. and Mrs. E. Reid have been spending a few days here packing a part of their household goods for consignment to Hudson, where he is employed.—H. S. Bell of Oneonta spent the week-end with friends here. — Maurice Hall and friend of Delhi attended church services here Sunday and spent the remainder of the day with relatives.—Mrs. William Tucker and daughter of Basin Cove, Hamden, spent a few days early in the week with her sister, Mrs. Harry Munn.—George Wilson of Syracuse has joined his family at J. L. Oliver's for the summer.—Clarence Huyck, who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huyck, returned to Michigan Monday, accompanied by Harvey Bowen, who will also have employment there.—Dr. and Mrs. Hendrick of Oneonta were Sunday callers at Mrs. Elnora Wilson's.—Robert Lawton of Otego also spent Wednesday with his family there.—Mrs. Esther Davidson is visiting her brother, Mr. Graham and family, on Dunk Hill, near Walton.—Mrs. Raymond Lybold of South Kortright spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. George Canfield.—Michael Harder and family spent Sunday with his cousin, Miss Edith Butts, Whitney Point.—Mrs. Frances Huyck, who was called here by the death of Mrs. Celestia Huyck, has returned to Oak Harbor, Ohio.—Hardin Wheat of New Jersey has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Bender. — Grade examinations have been held in the schools this week.—Mr. and Mrs. Russel Easson of Mundale were business visitors here Wednesday.—Charles Schermerhorn and [illegible] to visit Mrs. Belle Schermerhorn, who is helpless as the result of a paralytic stroke.

EAST MEREDITH GRADUATE.

J. Ralph Hanford Receives Degree from Rensselaer Polytechnic.

East Meredith, June 13.— At the commencement exercises of the Rensselaer Polytechnic institute of Troy to be held Friday the degree of electrical engineer will be conferred upon J. Ralph Hanford, son of H. D. Hanford, of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Hanford left Thursday for Troy to be present at the exercises.

Personal and Local.

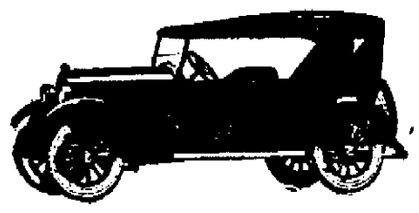
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes had as their guests for the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Peck and two daughters of Cazenovia.—Burton Robinson motored to Albany Sunday and was accompanied on his return by Mrs. E. Moon and Florence Palmer. — Miss Marjorie Smith celebrated her fifth birthday Thursday by entertaining several of her little friends. Dainty refreshments were served the little misses. She received several pretty gifts.—Mrs. J. I. Roberts is speding a few days with friends in Mechanicville. — Mrs. Walter Gildersleeve and Mrs. Charles Haynes attended a missionary meeting in Davenport Wednesday.—Mrs. E. J. Soxsmith is visiting friends in town. — Mrs. Willard Utter is spending a few days in Hobart with her sister, Mrs. Marchester.—The dramatic club of East Meredith presented the play, "The Colored Maid," in Davenport Friday evening.

HOBART.

Hobart, June 13. — Mr. and Mrs. Charles [illegible] and George Pogue motored [illegible] Pogue, who has taught the past year at Hammonton, New Jersey, will return with them for the summer.—Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Woodworth motored to Hunter and Saugerties Thursday, where they visited friends. Mrs. Woodworth will remain for a few days' visit.—Rev. L. K. Hannum, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal

When American Round-the-World Fliers Reached Japan

Lieut.-Gen. Ugaki, Japanese minister of war, is shown presenting the American round-the-world fliers with [illegible] on their arrival at Tokyo.



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LASSO and BOLEADORAS as Weapons of War

GAUCHOS ON FOOT "PIALANDO" A WILD COLT - CATCHING HIM BY FOREFEET WHILE GALLOPING BY

A YOUTHFUL GAUCHO OF TO-DAY

HOW GENERAL PAZ WAS MADE PRISONER

THE INDIAN TWO-BALL BOLEADORAS

Two Formidable Weapons of the Gaucho of South America — Used in Both Peace and War — Daring Feats With the Lasso.

By H. WALLER

THE Argentine gaucho has ever been famous for his dexterous manipulation of the lasso and of the less known boleadoras as a means of capturing the wild colts or steers of his native pampas, but the fact that in the course of his country's struggle for independence he converted these common tools of his trade into formidable weapons of war, and that on more than one occasion the fate of an important engagement has been decided—and the nation's destiny thereby possibly changed—by the unerring aim of one of these children of the desert is not so generally known.

In the use of the lasso the gaucho is an artist. The foreigner who chances to witness a day's work among the semi-wild cattle of the remoter districts of the Republic is invariably impressed by the wonderful dexterity the gaucho displays in what may be termed the common "throws" of his lasso, but if he should be privileged to watch one of the fancy throws with which the day's proceedings are quite likely to conclude he will be staggered at the nonchalance with which a taciturn veteran of the plains will perform some feat in which the slightest error of judgment on his part may mean a broken neck for the captured animal, or for himself, or both.

The "Tiro Cruzado"

Such a throw is the tiro cruzado, and is performed as follows: From a corral in which a mob of unhandled colts has been shut, a given number, including a particularly wild one, are driven to the open "camp", and their headlong flight converted into a furious stampede by the yells and the whirling lassos of the assembled concourse. The gaucho, who is to give an exhibition of his skill, is stationed to the right of the corral gate. He is presumably mounted upon his best horse, since to use an animal not endowed with great speed and a fine mouth would be to court disaster. Once the four or five colts, including the wild quarry, embark on their mad rush for the open plain our gaucho sets off in pursuit, always keeping well to the right of his victim (which is not necessarily upon the outside of the flying quintette), and when by dint of a furious burst of speed he has brought himself within the range of his whirling lasso he throws it in the usual way, the wide-open loop falling round the neck of his quarry. Almost simultaneously a twist of the wrist is necessary to insure the noose closing high up on the neck of the captured colt and the "professor's" next move is to manoeuvre himself to the left of his prey before the lasso becomes taut, for the reason that, as the end of his lasso is attached to the off side of his recado (saddle), he would himself become entangled in it if he failed to do so. It must be remembered that this has to be done while going at racing pace and he is expected to bring his captive to a halt without any jerk likely to injure it. Occasionally this feat is performed with a very thin lasso that would snap at once if subjected to a jerky strain.

The Lasso in War

However, the gaucho's mastery of the lasso does not differ so widely in its essentials from that displayed by the "artists" of other lands as to call for close description, but it is so complete that it is not to be marveled at that he should have employed the lasso against his enemies in war when circumstances were propitious. The prowess of the chieftain Guemes and his band of gauchos who spared so many of their foes by means of the lasso is told not only in well attested documents but in the songs of the country people. Argentine history relates how in 1815, and in the years that followed, the Spanish troops fighting in the north of the Republic were literally decimated by the lasso, and upon such occasions as the gaucho troops succeeded in getting the Spaniards upon the run, the havoc wrought by its use was terrible. In point of fact, "sniping" was then carried to a point of perfection not surpassed in the Great War of later days since the gauchos made a dead set at enemy officers, who were dragged off their horses or out of the ranks of the Spanish infantry by the score. The horrible deaths of these men, dragged to their end at the heels of a terror in the hearts of the common soldiers that frequently caused a panic of the wildest description.

It is also related that in 1843 when the forces of General Oribe were laying siege to Montevideo, the French residents of the city organized a French Legion to assist in its defense and that on one occasion when this force was reconnoitering outside the city's boundaries it was suddenly attacked by a band of Oribe's gauchos who, springing unexpectedly upon the Frenchmen with demoniac yells and whirling lassos, were off and away like a whirlwind with fifteen French officers helplessly dragged at the heels of their savage captors.

Throwing The Boleadoras

Mastery in the art of throwing the boleadoras is not so common but, nevertheless, a great many of the older generation of gauchos still possess it. The three heavy, hide-covered stone or leaden balls, suspended at the end of raw-hide thongs to a common center, are part and parcel of the gaucho's regular equipment and are carried across the front of his saddle and across the withers of his horse. He uses a small size for catching ostriches and a larger size for wild horses, cattle or "big game" of any description. When pursuing a quarry he desires to bring to earth he swings the boleadoras, or rather, two of them, over his head, the third being gripped in his hand and, when he releases them, they fly with uncanny directness for the lower extremities of the quarry which is brought to earth as soon as the thongs of the boleadoras wind themselves round its legs.

This method of capturing wild animals the gaucho inherited from the Indians of the River Plate and, although the hide covered balls and plaited thongs he uses are an improvement upon the grooved ball around which the Indians tied a rawhide thong, they are essentially the same weapon. History records that a brother of the Spanish conquistador, Pedro de Mendoza, who was killed by the Indians, was first captured by a throw of the boleadoras which held him a firm prisoner until his enemies could come up with him.

Capture Of Paz

And later—in the year 1829, to be precise—when Juan Manuel de Rozas, the future dictator of the country, was made Governor of Buenos Aires, he was opposed by General Paz, a soldier possessed of far greater military attainments than any of his contemporaries, and for that reason an opponent to be feared. Rozas sent forces to attack Paz in the province of Cordoba and it was while the latter was personally reconnoitering the enemy positions that his horse was brought down by a gaucho, whose fatally accurate aim probably condemned his country to many years of suffering under the yoke of the tyrant, who was thus enabled to hold prisoner his most formidable enemy.

Uncle Sam's Work as a Prophet

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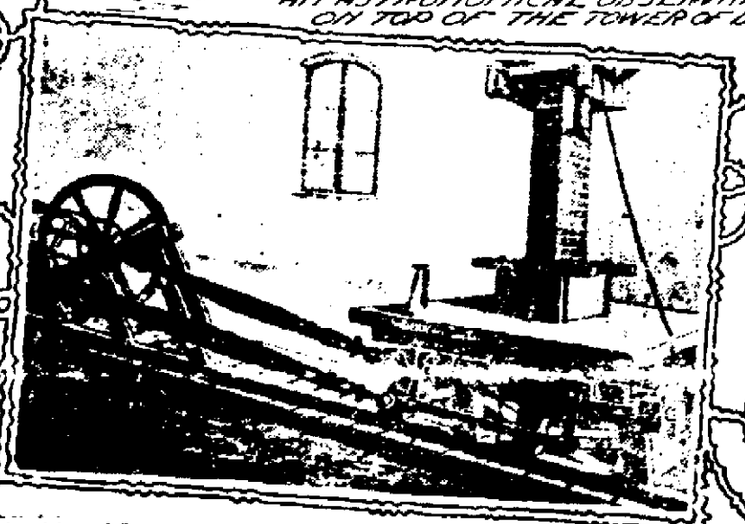

MACHINE FOR PRODUCING EXPERIMENTAL IMITATION EARTHQUAKES ON A SHAKING TABLE

Like the Magicians of Old, He Foretells Crops, Tides, Floods, Earthquakes, the Weather, Eclipses of the Sun and Moon, and Even Volcanic Explosions.

By RENE BACHE

INCIDENTALLY to other duties such affairs. But rain, drought, the astronomers of the Naval temperature, and bugs have [illegible] Observatory prophesy eclipses of [illegible] with the prospects for the sun and moon. Also [illegible] spots, which, as recently discovered, have an important influence upon our weather. When sun-spots are many and big, our atmosphere is cooler, and violent storms are more frequent.

Prophesying was in ancient times the highest of professional accomplishments. Much is said about it in the Bible. Modern science has put it on a business basis, and at the present day a very important part of Uncle Sam's [illegible] is prophecy, in relation to many different kinds of matters which intimately concern the welfare and happiness of our people.

Forecasts Of Crops

Consider for example the crop forecasts issued by the government which are proving pure and simple. As the dates approached for such forecasts approach, commodity markets are in a state of nervous expectancy, because great values are at stake.

Crops are no longer supposed as in ancient times, to be affected by supernatural affection. The [illegible] do not concern themselves with [illegible] Weather Bureau does based as it [illegible] such reports, covering the entire [illegible] volunteer agents of the Department of Agriculture all over the country are watching, and upon these reports are based the crop [illegible]

[illegible] of special importance is the cotton prophecy, which the market eagerly and anxiously awaits. It is prepared in secret, with utmost [illegible] against a "leak", for [illegible] regard to it would [illegible] a dozen Washington [illegible] and [illegible] forecast [illegible] at exactly [illegible] of the forecast [illegible]

Floods Prophesied

The same [illegible] weather forecasts [illegible] Weather Bureau [illegible] drainage basin of a river, enable the experts in Washington to determine just when and how much that river will rise or fall.

Prophecies of this kind are of special importance, obviously, when floods threaten. Notice of a disastrous flood, given days or possibly weeks in advance, may save many human lives and a vast deal of property. But, in ordinary circumstances, accurate forecasts of river stages are a big help to commerce, influencing movement of merchandise and particularly water transportation.

In olden times people spoke of the gift of prophecy, which is possessed by few supernatural [illegible] Nowadays it is plain business, and has been reduced to [illegible] such exact principle that the [illegible] of the tides are, as [illegible] manufactured [illegible] in the office of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

These tide predictions published annually cover two years in advance, giving with absolute accuracy the hour and minute of high water and low water at every one of our seaports for each day during that period. If it were desired, the machine, set for the year 2024, would forecast the rise and fall of the tides a century from now with an exactness not less unerring; or it would do the same thing for a thousand years hence.

Earthquake Predictions

The business of prophesying earthquakes has been seriously taken up by our government which, in cooperation with the State of California, is watching for possible indications of the coming of more trouble along the fault line that was accountable for the great disaster that wrecked San Francisco. Along that line for a [illegible] of two hundred miles have been placed huge granite blocks, any considerable shifting of which would be regarded as portending another serious [illegible] of the rocky strata.

The Weather Bureau is keeping careful tab on earthquakes with the help of a "seismograph" installed in the basement of its main building in Washington. The instrument employs a ray of [illegible] concentrated by a lens to a fine point, to trace a record of earth tremors upon a sheet of sensitized paper wound on a cylinder that is revolved by clockwork. It takes note of quakes that occur many thousands of miles away, and an important object of the work is to [illegible] observations as to render possible the giving of timely warnings when big shakes are to be expected.

Where volcanoes are concerned, prediction of outbreaks, if based on reliable data, are obviously of great value. Inasmuch as we have [illegible] in this country of active volcanoes, [illegible] Lassen Peak, in California, it would be expected that prophecy in that line need not interest us much. But it should be remembered that on the island of Hawaii we have two fire-spitting volcanoes, and on the Alaskan Peninsula there are many, one of which, Mount Katmai, blew its head off only a dozen years ago with one of the most tremendous eruptions recorded in modern times.

The Hawaiian volcanic goddess, Pele, is believed by the natives to have her residence in the crater of Kilauea. In like manner, on the island of Negros, in the Philippines, the crater of Mount Kanlaon is inhabited by a female divinity who, not content with throwing out vast quantities of burning lava at intervals, exhibits on occasions a fiercer displeasure by sending forth immense swarms of grasshoppers to devour the growing crops.

Warnings Of Bad Bug Years

Grasshoppers are a frightfully destructive pest in the Philippines. In parts of our own West plagues of them afflict the farmers now and then. But the government Bureau of Entomology has made a thorough study of their breeding habits and the conditions influencing their multiplication, and is thus enabled to issue a warning forecast when a "bad grasshopper year" is in prospect. Similar prophecies are published in regard to certain other pestiferous insects—as, for instance, the "green bug," a species of aphis which has been known to destroy in a single year, in Texas and Oklahoma, a quantity of wheat sufficient to make a thousand million loaves of bread. A warm winter followed by a chilly spring gives promise of trouble from the green bug.

The prophecies of storms and cold waves issued by our Weather Bureau have enormous commercial value, influencing among other things the shipment of perishable foodstuffs. When the storm flags fly, vessels are held in port, for safety. In expectation of a cold wave, greenhouse men start their furnaces. The weather is always watched with keen interest by everybody concerned with the purchase and sale of agricultural products, and it is one of the chief factors determining the rise and fall of prices.

The ancient priest-astronomers of Babylonia and Assyria knew how to foretell eclipses with accuracy, comets they regarded as [illegible] portents, but they could not predict the appearance of those mysterious celestial wanderers

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TO RENT—The farm house and garage on the late George F. Johnson farm, located on state road, one-half mile east of Davenport Center village; house has five rooms, running water, big lawn, shade, etc. Rent $8.00 a month, in advance. For more particulars see J. C. Champlin, 40 Elm street, or E. Dayton, Davenport Center village. F. R. Champlin, administrator, Pittsfield, Mass.

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FOR RENT — Five-room furnished flat. Half of double house. Four-room flat. Mrs. S. Keenan.

TO RENT—Garage, at 11 Brook street.

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WANTED, TOP CARRIAGE — Steel or rubber tire or a buckboard. Must be nearly new and cheap. State price. Address J. W., care Star.

FOR BARGAINS—In real estate, call the Conrad Agency, 1 Lawn avenue. Phone 58-W.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS—Who have completed two years of work and are 18 years of age are eligible to enter Special class for training as printer-linotype operators on June 30 at the Empire State School of Printing, Ithaca. Steady employment, good wages, good working conditions. Write today for circular. Empire State School of Printing, 340 East Seneca street, Ithaca, N. Y.

POULTRY, EGGS, ETC.

HOUGH BABY CHICKS—Last batch of Single Comb White Leghorn and White Wyandottes, June 17 and 18. Leghorn $8.00, Wyandottes, $12.50 per 100; will ship in as small numbers as 25. Chicks are from selected egg-laying breeders. Impossible to get better stock. Order direct from this advertisement and chicks will be sent by parcel post. Hough Hatchery, Cortland, N. Y.

BABY CHICKS—500 "In-Gold" S. C. W. Leghorns for delivery June 18th, at 12 cents each. L. E. Ingoldsby, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.

FOR SALE — 1,000 Single Comb White Leghorn pullets, eight and ten weeks old. H. A. Ingoldsby, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.

FOR SALE—500 White Leghorn yearling hens, Barron Strain. Phone 61-J, or inquire at H. D. Weeks, Milford.

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. W. Leghorn chicks, all bred from selected hens mated to certified roosters. We are closing down for the season and are offering what we have on hand at reduced prices. Hartwick Hatchery, Inc., Hartwick, N. Y.

BABY CHICKS—White Leghorns $8.00-100, Reds, Anconas, $12.00, Rocks $14.00. Empire Hatchery, Seward, New York.

BOARDERS WANTED

FIRST CLASS BOARD AND ROOM—Also table boarders. 1 Spring street.

SOUTHERN NEW YORK RAILWAY

Cars are due to leave waiting room, Windsor Hotel block, for Herkimer, New York Central and New York State Railway connections to Utica as follows:

NORTHBOUND

Leave Oneonta	Arrive Herkimer	Arrive Utica
† 7:00 A. M.	9:50 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
x 9:00 A. M.	11:45 A. M.	12:30 P. M.
*12:00 M.	3:00 P. M.	4:00 P. M.
* 5:30 P. M.	8:21 P. M.	9:00 P. M.
* 8:30 P. M. Ar. Cooperstown		9:50 P. M.

Train leaves Oneonta for Laurens at 5:42 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Oneonta daily for Cooperstown and intermediate stations at 8:30 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND

Leave Utica	Leave Herkimer	Arrive Oneonta
* 7:00 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
*12:00 M.	1:15 P. M.	4:40 P. M.
* 2:30 P. M.	3:35 P. M.	6:20 P. M.
* 7:00 P. M.	8:37 P. M.	11:15 P. M.

† Daily except Sunday.
x Sunday only.
* Daily.

Trains leave Laurens for Oneonta at 6:21 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains leaving Oneonta at 5:30 p. m., and Herkimer at 7:30 do not carry baggage west of Cooperstown junction. Ticket office and baggage room at railway post office.

TIME TABLE OF

Ulster & Delaware R. R.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

Trains are due to leave Oneonta as follows:

6.25 a. m. except Sunday; 12:00 p. m. daily.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: 11.07 a. m. daily; 6.00 p. m. except Sunday.

Clyde D. Utter
ELECTRICAL WORK
ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR
Phone 208-W Oneonta, N. Y.

INDUSTRIALS AND RAILS MOVE UPWARD

15 of Latter Set New High Prices for Year—Net Losses in Oils, Steels and Coppers Small

Brief Stock Review.

Total stock sales, 941,500 shares

Twenty industrials averaged 93.24; previous day 93.38.

High, 1924, 101.24; low, 91.28.

Twenty railroads averaged 85.28; previous day, 84.95.

High, 1924, 86.32; low, 81.

Brief Bond Review.

Total bond sales, par value, $26,159,000.

Ten first grade rails averaged 88.37; previous day, 88.67.

Ten secondary rails averaged 87.37; previous day, 87.47.

Ten public utilities averaged 89.23; previous day 89.18.

Ten industrials averaged 94.46; previous day 94.36.

Combined average 90.01; previous day 89.92.

Combined average month ago, 88.46; year ago, 87.46.

New York, June 13.—Bullish demonstrations in several high priced industrial specialties and further accumulation of the railroad shares, 15 of which established new high prices for the year, were the outstanding developments in today's active and irregular stock market. Oils, steels and coppers yielded to selling pressure, but the net losses in most of the active issues were held to fractions.

General Electric was the outstanding individual feature, being run up more than seven points to 230¾ despite denial of rumors that the company would split up its stock and increase the dividend payments.

Friday, the 13th, also failed to dampen bullish enthusiasm in other sections of the industrial list. Consolidated Gas moving up more than two points to a new peak price of 68¼ and gains of one and one-half points or more being recorded by United States Cast Iron Pipe, Colorado Fuel, Allis-Chalmers, Fisher Body, Iron Products, New York Air Brake, Reynolds Tobacco issues and Savage Arms.

Establishment of new peak prices by the Rock Island issues, the common selling more than two points higher at 31¾, was one of the outstanding incidents in the trading in the railroad shares. Net gains of approximately two points or more also were recorded in Lackawanna, Great Northern, preferred, Norfolk & Western, Northern Pacific, Lehigh Valley rights, and Chicago & Eastern Illinois preferred.

United States Steel common closed unchanged at 96⅝ and the other so-called pivotal stocks showed only nominal changes. International Paper turned re-actionary on a reduction in newsprint prices by Canadian mills.

In a trading session again marked by feverish activity, bond prices yesterday swept to new high levels for the year. With sales for the second successive day exceeding $40,000,000 and approximating yesterday's high record, six United States government obligations established new peak prices for all time and many foreign government, standard railroad, and industrial liens set new maximum figures for 1924.

Approval by the Interstate Commerce commission of several railroad consolidations materially strengthened the bonds of these roads. Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio 6s made a substantial spurt of six points as the Atlantic Coast Line and the Louisville & Nashville were granted joint control of the road. International-Great Northern securities scored a brisk advance as a sale of the company's stock to the Gulf Coast lines was approved conditionally. Postponement of action until a few hours before expiration of the option had created great uneasiness.

United States government bonds, with the exception of the fourth 4¼s, achieved record high levels, advancing more than a point. The first-second 4¼s sold at 102; second 4s at 101.7; first 4¼s at 103; second 4¼s at 101.1; third 4¼s at 102.1, and treasury 4¼s at 104.22.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Air Red	75¼	75¼	75¼	75¼
Ajax Rub	6¾	7	6¾	7
Al Chal	45¼	47¼	45¼	47
Al Chem	72	73¼	72	73¼
Am Ag Ch	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
Am Can	107¼	108¼	107¼	107¾
Am C and F	159¼	160	159	160
Am Int	21	21¼	21	21¼
x Am Loco	72¼	72¼	72¼	72¼
x Am Rad	100¾	101	100¼	101
Am St F	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼
Am Smlt	62¼	62¼	62¼	62¼
Am Sug	42	42¼	42	42¼
Am Sum	9¾	10	9¾	10
Am T and T	143	143	143	143
Am W W	67	67¼	66	67
x Am Wool	69¼	69¼	69¼	69
Anaconda	29¾	29¾	28¾	29¼
Atchison	103¾	104	103¾	104
AG & WI	16¼	16¼	15¼	15¼
Asso D G	90¾	91	90¾	91
Asso Oil	28¾	28¾	27¾	27¾
Bald Loco	111¼	111¼	110¼	111¼
B and O	56¾	57¼	56¾	57¼
Beth Stl	47	47	45¾	46¼
Barns A	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
B M T	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
do pfd	61¼	61¼	61¼	61¼
Brook Edsn	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
Burns Br A	109	109	108¼	108¼
Butte and S	15	15	14¼	14¾
Cal Pet	22¾	22¾	21¾	21¾
Can Pac	146¼	146¼	146¼	146¼
C de Pasco	44¾	44¾	44¼	44¾
Cen Leath	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
do pfd	42	42	42	42
Ches and O	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
CM and SP	12¾	12	12¼	12¾
do pfd	22¾	22¾	22¾	22
Chic N W	54¾	56	54¾	56
Chin Mo	45	45	44¼	44¾
Chino	16¼	16¾	16¼	16¾
Chile	27¾	27¾	27¼	27¾
x Cora Cola	64¾	69	64¼	64¼
Col Fuel	39¾	42¼	39¾	41¾
Con Can	49¾	49¾	49¼	49¾
Con Tex	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Cosden	26¾	26¾	25¾	26¼
Cot Gas	27¾	27¾	27¼	27¾
Cru Sug	44¾	44¾	44¾	44
Cuba	40¾	40¾	40	40
Corn Pro	25¾	25¾	25¼	25¾
x Cuyamel	64¼	60¼	59¾	60¼
Cruc St	51¾	51¾	51	51
Cuba C Sug	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
do pfd	57	57¾	57	57¾
Cuba A Sug	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Dav Chem	65¾	69	65	68¾
D and H	116	117	116	117
D L and W	122	124¼	122	123¼
Du Pont	114¼	119¾	114¼	119¾
East Kdk	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Elec Stor	56¾	56¼	56¼	56¾
x End John	59	59	59	59
Erie	27¼	28¼	27¼	28
do 1st pfd	34¼	34¾	34¼	34¾
Fam Play	75¾	79	77¼	78¾
x Fleisch	50	50¼	50	50¼
Fish Bod	187¼	189	187¼	188¼
Fisk Tire	7	7	6¾	7
Free Tex	9¼	9¾	9	9
Gen Elec	224¼	230¾	223¼	230¾
Gen Mot	13¼	13¼	13	13
Gt Nor pfd	59	60¼	59	60¼
do ore ct	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼
Gen Asph	38	38¾	37¼	37¾
x Gulf S St	66¼	66¼	65¾	66¼
Hayes Wh	36¾	36¾	36	36
Houst Oil	64	64¾	64	64¾
Hupp Mot	11¼	12	11¼	12
Hud Mot	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Int R M	94¾	94¾	94	94
Int Har	86	86	86	86
Int Comb	22¼	23¾	22¾	23¾
Ins Cop	23¼	23¼	23	23
Iron Prod	45	47	45	47
Int Pap	47¾	48¼	46¼	46¼
Int Rap Tr	21¾	22¼	21¾	22¼
I M M pfd	33¼	33¼	32¼	32¾
Invinci	12¾	12¾	11¾	11¾
Int Nick	13¾	14¼	13¾	13¾
Jones Tea	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Kan City S	20¼	21	20¼	20¼
Kelly S T	15¼	15¾	14¼	14¾
Kenn Cop	38	38	37¾	37¾
x Lehigh V	44¼	44¼	44	44¼
Lima Loco	58¾	59	58¾	59
x Loews Inc	15¾	15¾	15¼	15¾
Louis & N	94	94	93¼	93¼
Ludlum Stl	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
May D S	86	86¼	85¼	85¼
Mack Tr	85¼	86	85¼	85¾
Marac Oil	28	28	28	28
Marland O	31	31	30	30¼
Maxwell A	44¼	44¾	44¼	44¼
Mex Sea	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Miami	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Miss K Tex	13¼	13¾	13	13¾
Mo Pac	17¼	17¼	16¾	17
do pfd	47¼	48¼	47¼	48¼
Mont Ward	24¼	24¼	24	24
Moon Mot	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
x Mother Lod	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
M S Oil	2¼	2¼	2	2
Nat Bis	53¼	54	53¼	53¼
Nat Enam	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼
x Nat Lead	138	139¾	138	138
N Y Air B	40¼	43	40¼	43
N Y Cent	103¾	104¼	103¾	104
N Y & N H	21¼	21¼	21	21¼
Nev Con	13	13	13	13
Norf & W	122¾	125¼	122¾	125
North Pac	54¾	57	54¼	56¾
Ont West	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
x Pac Oil	47¼	47¼	46¾	47¼
P A Sug	49¾	50¼	49¾	50
Pan Am Pet	51¾	51¾	51	51¼
Pan Am B	49¾	49¾	49¼	49¼
Pack Mot	10¼	10¼	10¾	10¼
Penn Stl	2	2¼	2	2¼
Penn	43¼	44¾	43¼	44
Peo Gas	97¼	97¼	97	97¼
x Pere Mar	51	51	50¾	51
Phil Read	47¾	48¼	47¼	48¼
P Morris	16¼	16¾	15¾	15¾
Phps Ptr	34¼	34¼	33¾	34¼
Pierce Ar	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Pitt W Va	46	46	45¼	45¼
Prd Rfg	24¼	24¾	24¼	24¾
x Pub Sv N J	47¼	47¼	47¼	47¾
Pullman	124¾	125¾	123¾	124¾
Pure Oil	21¼	21¾	21	21¾
Ray Con	10	10	10	10
Reading	55¼	56¼	55¼	56¼
Rep I S	45	45	45	45
Rplgle	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
Rey Tob B	69	71¼	69	71¼
Rock Is	29¾	31¾	29¾	31
Ry Dh N Y	49	49¼	49	49¼
Sav Arms	53	56¾	53	55¾
Sears Roe	87	87¼	86¾	86¾
Shl Un Oil	17	17	16¾	16¾
Sinc Oil	19	19	18¾	19
Skelly Oil	20	20	19¾	19¾
Stds Shef	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾
So Pac	91¼	91¾	90¾	91¾
So Rwy	59¾	59¾	59¼	59¾
S O Cal	57	57	56	56¾
S Oil N J	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¾
Stew War	65¾	66¾	64¾	65¾
Strmbg	62	62	62	62
Stubkr	33¾	33¾	33	33¼
Sup Oil	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
St L Sa Fr	23¾	23¾	22¾	23¼
St L Swst	40¼	40¾	39¾	40¾
x do pfd	61	61¾	61	61¼
Texas Co	29¾	29¾	28¾	29
Tex Coal	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Tex Gulf S	60¾	61¼	60¼	61¼
Tex Pac	31¾	32¼	31¾	31¾
Tex Pac t r	60	60	60	60
Tob Prod A	88¼	88¾	88¼	88¾
Timken	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼
Trans Oil	3¾	4	3¾	4
Un Pac	134	134¾	134	134¾
U S C I P	96	96¾	94¾	96
U S Rlty	92	93¼	92	93
U S I Alco	67	67¾	67	67¾
U S Rub	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¼
do 1st pfd	75	76¼	75	75¼
U S Steel	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
x Utah Cop	67¾	69¼	67¾	69¼
Utah Sec	29¼	29¾	29¼	29¾
Vandm	21¼	21¾	21¼	21¼
Va Chem	18	18	18	18
Wabash	15¾	15¾	14¼	15
do pfd A	45¼	45¾	44¾	44¾
Westhse	59¾	60¾	59¾	60¼
Wes Un	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
White Mo	53	53	53	53
Willys-O	8¼	8¾	7¾	8
do pfd	64¾	64¾	67¾	67¼
Wilrth new	87¾	91	87¾	91
Wright Ar	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
Wow A R	90	90	90	90

x Ex-div.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 14,555; creamery, higher than extras, 42@43; creamery, extras, 92 score, 43; do, first, 88 to 91 score, 39@41; packing stock current make No. 2, 29.

Eggs — Steady; receipts, 29,669; fresh gathered, extra firsts, regularly packed, 29@29½; do, storage packed, 29½@30½; fresh gathered, firsts, regularly packed, 24@25½; do, storage packed, 29@29½; fresh gathered, seconds and second, 27@27½; nearby hennery whites, closely selected extras, 36@38; nearby and nearby western hennery whites, firsts to average extras, 30@35; nearby hennery browns, extras, 34@35.

Cheese — Firm; receipts, 148,449 pounds; state, whole milk, flats, fresh fancy to fancy specials, 19@20; average run, 18½@18¾; state, whole milk, flats, held, fancy to fancy specials, 24½@25½; do, average run, 23@24.

New York Poultry.

Live poultry — Irregular; broilers, by express, 25@45; fowls, by express, 27@29; roosters, by freight, 16; turkeys, by express, 25@30.

Dressed poultry — Steady; chickens 30@46; fowls, 22@31; old roosters, 17@21; turkeys, 20@29.

New York Meats.

Cattle — Receipts, 370; steady; steers, $7@11.15; state bulls, $2.75@6; cows, $1.75@6.

Calves — Receipts, 1,700; steady; veals, $12.50@13.50; culls and little calves, $6@6.50; buttermilk and fed calves, $5@6.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,640; irregular; sheep, $4@6.50; culls, $3@3.75; lambs, $9@17; clipped $12@14; culls, $7@7.75; spring lambs, $17.50@17.75 each.

Hogs — Receipts, 1,630; steady; light to medium weights, $7.80; pigs, $7@7.25; heavy hogs, $7.50@7.65; roughs, $6@7.

Chicago Grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
July	110¾	112¼	110¾	111¾
Sept.	112¼	114	112¼	113¼
CORN—				
July	80¾	81¾	80¼	80¾
Sept.	80¼	80¾	79¾	80¾
OATS—				
July	47	47¼	46¾	47
Sept.	42¾	42¾	42¼	42¼

ONEONTA MARKETS.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran	$1.75
Buckwheat, cwt.	$2.75
Oats, per bu.	.65
Ground oats	$2.15
Poultry grains	$2.44
Gluten feed	$2.25
Corn meal, cwt.	$2.01
Cracked corn, cwt.	$3.01
Corn, per bu., old	$1.10
Table meal	$4.60
Cotton seed meal	$2.65
Corn and oats	$2.09

SERIOUS FACTORY FIRE.

Syracuse, June 12. — Damage estimated at $50,000 was caused tonight when fire destroyed a large plant of the Iriquois China company in Solvay village, north of here.

The wise grocer likes to sell Hygrade brand butterine because he knows that a satisfied customer is his greatest asset. advt 6t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Edgar Bartlett, deceased, late of the town of Unadilla, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of Charles C. Fiscoch, in the village of Unadilla, in said county, on or before the 20th day of July, next.

Dated January 2, 1924.

Elizabeth N. Bartlett, Executrix.
Charles C. Fiscoch,
Attorney for executrix,
Unadilla, N. Y.

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Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Frank H. Maundy, deceased, late of the town of Milford, in said county, that they are required to exhibit same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned administrator of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of Seybolt & Seybolt, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 20th day of July, next.

Dated January 2, 1924.

ARTHUR SEYBOLT,
Seybolt & Seybolt, Administrator.
Attorneys for Administrator.
Oneonta, New York.

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Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against the estate of George Parish, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta

Youngest Page on the Job

John Mear, aged 10, of Portland, Ore., has the distinction of being the youngest page on duty at the G. O. P. convention, Cleveland, O. He is shown getting his instructions from Ralph Williams, vice chairman of the Republican National Committee.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

Announcements of Services and Sermon Topics in the City Churches.

The First Presbyterian church, Rev. J. C. Russell, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30. Special Children's Day program. Short talk by the pastor. Baptism of children. Endeavor society at 6:30. Subject: A Blessing or a Curse. Miss Helen Rowe, leader.

Main Street Baptist church, Main and Maple streets. Charles S. Davidson, pastor. Morning worship with sermon at 10:30. Subject: Living in Eternity. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. C. E. meeting at 6:30. No evening preaching service.

First Baptist church, corner Chestnut and Academy streets. Edson J. Farley, D. D. minister. Public worship with preaching by Rev. C. Holmes, Y. M. C. A. Boys' Work secretary, at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Junior C. E. at 4:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. No other evening service.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner Chestnut and Church streets. Rev. Dr. Flynn, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30. Dr. Flynn will preach on The Young Person as a Christian. Bible school session at 11:45 a. m. Epworth league devotional meeting, led by Mrs. Ernest Bolton, at 6:30 p. m. Lady Ann Azgapetian of Armenia will speak at the evening service at 7:30.

Salvation Army, 113 Main street. 10:30 a. m., open air service. 11 a. m., Holiness meeting. 2:30 p. m., Sunday school. 6:30 p. m., Young People's legion, led by Mrs. Joseph Passer. Topic: Abraham and Lot—a Contrast. 7:30 p. m., open air, corner Main and Broad streets. 8 p. m., Evangelistic service.

Chapin Memorial church, Fox avenue, near Main street. Rev. J. A. Judge, pastor. 10:30 a. m., subject: Waiting for Morning. 11:45, Bible school. 7 p. m., Y. P. C. U. and Juniors.

Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church, corner Chestnut street and Ceperley avenue. Wilbur C. Dodge, pastor. 10:30, Children's Day exercises. 3 p. m., special baptismal service for the